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Stable &c.

1876				
Mar. 26.	35 Bales Hay	8900 @ 14-	62.30	
	Billed in error	4400 @ 14.	26.64	35.66
Apr. 25	1 Lt. Corn.	125 @ 1.		1.25
" 27.	106. Oats	9,850 " 1.05		103.42
29	115. R Barley	9791 " .97		90.56
"	75. Bran	5480 " 87		47.95
May 7	35 Bale Hay	9510 " 14-		66.57
" 8	35 " "	9780 " 14-		68.46
" 25	118 Bags Oats	10.550 " 1.05		110.80
	40. Bran	2,920 " .90		26.28
	2 Corn	280 " .90		2.52
	35 Bales Hay	8990 " 14-		62.93
	75 lbs. R Barley	6140 " 90		55.26
" 27	47 Bales Hay	9800 " 14.		65.60
June 2.	23 Bags Oats	2,150 " 1.05		22.57
" 3.	35 Bales Hay	8560 " 14-		59.92
" 4	30 " Straw	" .75		22.50
" 4	35 " Hay	8,750 " 14.		61.46
" 11.	50 " "	11.770 " "		78.54
" 13.	64 " "	5,335 " "		58.34
" 20.	115 Bgs R Barley	9.970 " 90		89.73
				$1133.32

Recapitulation Stable

341 Bales Hay	58,225	$1560.48
305 lbs. R Barley	25901	233.55
115 " Bran	5400	47.23
147 " Oats	22.553	236.79
3 " Corn		3.77
30 Bales Straw		22.50
		1133.32

Deer and Buffalo

June 4.	30 lbs. R Barley	2725 @ .90		$24.25
	4 " Corn	491 " 1.05		5.15
	6 " Wheat	535 " 1/		9.39
	4 " Bran	270 " .90		2.43
				$41.49

Stable &c

July 1.	45 Bales Hay	5520	@ 12.	57.12
	97 " "	19,500	" "	117.
	25 Bags Bran	1885	.90	16.96
	30 " Oats	3365	1.10	37.01
July 3	46 Bales Hay	10.330	12.-	61.98
8	60 Bags Bran	4.575	12	34.37
	50 " RBly	4.199	12½	36.74
11	75 Bales Hay	19.095	12.-	114.57
18.	110 Bags Oats	9.999	1.10	109.99
20.	36 Bales Hay	8.370.	12.	50.22
	25 " Straw		65	16.25
23	115 Bags RB.	9.835	12½	86.05
29	25 Bales Hay	9040	12.	54.24
Aug. 8	38 " "	8045	12.	48.27
11	47 " "	10.360	12	62.16
13	47 " "	11.700	12.	70.20
	1 Lk. Salt			50
14	97 Bales Hay	24.920	12	149.52
17	65 Lks. Oats	6.790	1.10	74.69
18	110 " RBarley	9.205	12½	50.54
19	60 " Bran	4015	14.	28.10
24	34 Bales Hay	8.570	12.	57.42
25	24 " "	6.080	12.	36.48
	25 " Straw		65	16.25
				$1408.63

Recapitulation Stable

611 Bales Hay	144.530	867.18
145 Lks. Bran	9.715	83.43
205 " Oats	20.104	221.69
275 " RBarley	23.239	203.33
50 Bales Straw		32.50
1 Lk. Salt		.50
		$1408.63

Deer and Buffalo

July 10	14 Lks. Bran	285	@ 17	2.42
	30 " RBly	2,610	" 12½	22.53
23	2 " Corn	203	" 1.10	2.23
Aug 7	30 " RBly	2.725	" 12½	23.84
	3 " Wheat	435	" 1.-	4.35
	2 " Corn	270	" 1	2.70
	2 Bales Alfalfa	525	" 10.-	2.62
	2 Lks. Bran	115	" 14.	80
				$ 61.79

Stable a/c aug Deer.

Sept. 4	30 Sks. RBly	2728	@ 17½	$23.87
	3 " Wheat	360	" 1.05	3.78
	2 " Corn	233	" 1.10	2.56
	3 Bales alfalfa	670	" 10.	3.10
10	35 " Hay	1650	" 12.-	57.90
11	34 " "	7570	" 12.	45.48
14	20 Bags Oats.	2170	" 1.10	23.87
	10 " Bran	760	" .75	5.70
	30 " RBly	2670	17½	2336
15	115 " " "	9605	17½	84.04
	106 " Oats	11.600	1.10	127.60
	2 " Corn	210	1.10	2.31
	9 " Carrots		.60	5.40
	10 Bales alfalfa	2810	10.	14.05
	35 Bags Bran	2915	.75	21.85
	76 Bales Hay	18.605	12.	111.63
Sept. 21	35 " "	9.555	12.	57.57
25	35 " "	9.995	12.	59.55
26	35 " "	10.085	12.	60.57
				$728.01

Recapitulation Stable.

250 Bales Hay.	64420	$356.52
1145 Sks. RBly.	12.275	107.40
126 " Oats	13.770	157.47
115 " Bran.	3.675	27.55
9 " Carrots.		5.40
		$678.34

Deer aug Buffalo.

Sept. 4	30 Bags R. Bly.	2728.	@ 17½ $23.87
	3 " Wheat.	360	" 1.05 3.78
	2 " Corn	233.	" 1.10 2.56
	3 Bales alfalfa	670.	" 10.- 3.10
	10 " "	2810	" 10.- 14.05
	2 Sks. Corn	210	1.10 2.31
			$49.67

Stable $678.34
Deer aug Buffalo 49.67

$728.01

Stable No.

Sept. 28.	25 Bales Straw		.65	$ 16.25
Oct. 12	59 " Hay	7.025	17.—	42.15
" 14	52 " "	14.150	11.½	69.86
16	25 " "	5.420	11½	31.16
17	40 Bags Oats	4.245	1¼	53.06
	70 " RBly	5.950	19½	58.01
19	26 Bales Hay	6.680	11½	38.41
22	110 Bags RB.	9.617	1.05	100.97
24.	50 Bales Hay	11.190	11½	64.34
21	197 " "	43.420	11½	249.66
				$723.87

Recapitulation Stable

379 Bales Hay	85.585	$ 495.58
40 Bags Oats	4.245	53.06
180 " RBly	15.567	158.98
25 Bales Straw		16.25
		$723.87

Deer and Buffalo.

Oct. 2.	35 Bags RBly	3.205	@ 90	$ 28.84
	2 Sks. Corn.	235	@ 1.15	2.58
	6 " Bran	375	@ 72½	2.71
	3 " Wheat	402	@ 1¼	5.03
	1 " Oil Cake	103	" 1¼	1.29
	2 Bales Alfalfa	575	@ 10.-	2.87
				$ 43.32

Deer and Buffalo.

Nov. 5	30 Bags RBly	2759	@ 1.05	$ 28.96
	4 Bales Alfalfa.	900	" 11.	4.95
	4 Bags Bran	277	" 80	2.21
	4 " Wheat	520	" 1.35	7.02
	1 " Oil Cake	90	1.35	1.21
	2 Sks Corn	260	1.05	2.73
	2 Cracked Corn	245	1.15	2.82
				$ 49.90

Dell "Wig Buffalo.

Dec. 3	30 Bags R Bly.	2,565	@ 1.05	693
	2 " Wheat	120	1.00	120
	2 Bales Alfalfa	180	10.-	2.05
	1 Bag Bran		.60	119
				1 31.10

Stable a/c.

Nov. 6.	60 Lbs. Bran	4057	@ .75	1 [illegible]
	65 . Oats	6749	" 1.40	[illegible]
	13 " Oats	1295	" 1.40	[illegible]
	2 " Oil Cake	205	" 1.45	[illegible]
	9 " Corn Meal	1044	" 1.20	[illegible]
21	115 " [illegible]	[illegible]	1.05	[illegible]
24.	10 Bales Hay	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
25	137 " "	9110	" [illegible]	[illegible]
				1 111.02

Output ...

	67 Bales Hay	18,215		111.15
	10 Lbs. Oats	11.042		[illegible]
	115 " R Barley	9775		[illegible]
	2 " Oil Cake	205		[illegible]
	60 " Bran	4057		[illegible]
	9 " Corn Meal	1044		[illegible]
				1 111.02

Stable a/c.

Nov 28	[illegible] Bales Hay	6165	@ 11.50	[illegible]
Dec. 2	45 Bags Oats	4.005	" 1.45	[illegible]
	50 " R Bly	6.360	" 1.05	[illegible]
18	30 Bales Straw		.60	18
				1 113.111

Credit.

Nov. 4	4 Bales Alfalfa	@ 10.-	1150		[illegible]
	12 L. Oil Cake	90 lbs	1.13		.01
18	2 " "	205	" 2.02		.41
25	30 Bales Hay	8575	11.50	45.90	11.70
"	37 " "	9710	"	0585	.11
					[illegible]

Cost of Feed for Buffalo and Labor of taking care of Same.

4 Bales Hay	160 lbs.	$5.12
5 lbs. R Barley	450 "	11.25
30 loads grass @	250 Lbs.	7.50
Labor.	15.	
		$33.07

Cost of food and labor for one month for Buffalo
$33.07

Statement of Expense of keeping 53 horses for one

[illegible] for the month of [illegible]

Dec 1 [illegible]	$ 1 [illegible] 4 28
[illegible]	6 6 [illegible] 11
[illegible]	[illegible] 3 [illegible] 2
[illegible]	1 [illegible] 6. 8 3
[illegible]	1 1 3 3 32
[illegible]	1 [illegible] 8 63
[illegible]	[illegible] 8 [illegible]
[illegible]	2 [illegible] 3
[illegible]	1 [illegible] [illegible]
Dec [illegible]	163.11
	$7098.56

The figures $7098.56 represents the cost of feed delivered during [illegible] days and stand charged as such being 34 days too much

$7,095.06 for 359 days

[illegible]

Cost $660.56 for 365 days feed.

$660.56 cost of feed for 53 horses for one year

Cost of food for one horse one day .35

Cost of labor in Stable for one year. $3,692.

Cost of labor to groom, care for stable and harness of one horse for one day .20

.55

Food. .35

Labor .20 [illegible]

Other expenses attending, care of veterinary surgeon, drugs and incidentals one horse one day .04

Entire cost of feed and attendance one horse one day [illegible]

Superintendent's Report of Money expended in labor in Golden Gate Park during month of January. 1896

Grading for Museum Annex.		$ 48.
" about Conservatory		15.
Constructing drains.		141.50
Grading 17th Ave. & Construction Fair Gr.		653.75
Hauling 10th 7th Ave.	96.50	519.25
Music Concourse & spreading Sweepings		2,201.75
Loam spreading Forests.		219.50
Construction Bicycle Track		1656.50
Tunnels		963.15
Cleaning Tower		119.25
Sweeping Tunnels		28.50
Sundries		3
Maintenance Structures		312.75
" Pr. Wks		20
" Sewers		63.75
" Rds & Walks		263.1
" Buena Vista Park		7
" M. Lobos Rd		35.50
Const. Main Water Wks		129
Maintenance Grounds		1153.10
" Forestry.		90.
" Live Stock		124
" Riding Stock & Imp		123
" Conservatory		520
" Nursery		"
Stables		271.40
" Museum.		100
Salaries Supt. Aug Sidy		475
Office Boy		20
		15,464.65

February 1896

N. p. Extension	$208.
Construction Sewer New Lodge	55.
Bicycle Path. 968.75	
[illegible]	
Const Dr. Tunnell 307	2,123.25
Music Concourse	2238.60
Spreading Loam for Greenly	249.50
Const Dr. Tunnell	425.
Cutting wood	70
Maintenance of Structures	89.75
" " Works.	144
" " Rds. & walks	181.30
" " Grounds	1588.65
" " Conservatory	301.
" " Live Stock	116.
" " [illegible]	126.75
" " [illegible]	1461.
" " Nursery	285.75
" " Stables	299.
Salaries Supt. & Secty	415
Museum	309.
Office Boy	21.75
Surveyor	84.
" Care Cal.	2.
	$10,913.37

March 1896.

Conser Museum	$126
N. P. Co	283.50
[illegible]	6.50
[illegible]	
[illegible] Lodge	659.75
Sup. Grounds	137.70
Music Concourse Const.	3,209.85
Planting Oaks & Sea Beach grass	344.25
Tunnell	145.10
on Bicycle Path	589.75
" Rock work	34
Maintenance Structures	154.90
[illegible]	

March

C. F. brot. forward	5 7/2 4.30
Maint. Rds. and walks	.31
" Sewers.	6.51
Grounds	1113.35
Forests	20.
Conservatory	238
Live Stock	1.
Rolling Stock	111
Police	1.111.15
Nursery.	27.6
Stables	6
Museum	1
Salaries. Supt & Sec	3
Office Boy	5
Sundries	101
	11856.18

April 1896

Building Ref House		15.00
N.P Celebration		
Const Rustic Tunnell & Fence Gr.	1775.15	
" Bicycle Road	36.25	
Track Buffalo Park	21.25	
" Fence for Lodge	1.25	1.11
Music Concourse.		1
N. [illegible] Road		1
[illegible]		1
Surveying		1
Maintenance of Structures		19.50
" Walks		111
" Drainage		1
" Rds & walks		5
Grounds		1
Forests		111.50
Conservatory		51.11
Live Stock		1.11
R.S. repairing wagons		11.1
Police		1.1.
Nursery		1.15
Stables		.51
Museum		1
Salaries Supt & Secty		1
Office Boy		51.11
		1

May 1896.

Building Coal House		$10.
U.S. Veterans		107.50
Const. Dr. Fair Dr.	$373.50	
" Park Lodge	144.75	
" Well Cur	185.50	
" Bicycle Rd.	43.	
" Boulevard	143.50	893.25
U.S. Music Concourse		1401.15
Cavalry		14.
Lincoln Steps Museum		141.50
Museum Corner		91.
Lone Vista Park		70.
Maint. Structures		60.50
Surveying		87.50
Maint Works		244.
Rds & walks		589.75
Grounds		2240.25
Driving		129.50
Conservatory		320.50
Live Stock		124.
Sick		236.50
Policing		1403.
Nursery		268.75
Stables		311.
Museum		324.
U. Carries		475.
Police Dry		23.25
		$9,515.90

June 1896.

Building Fence Rebuilt at Lodge.		$65.
W. p. Extension		107.
Const. of Drains		13.
Const. Dr. 10th Ave.	$67.	
" Bicycle Rd.	836.	
" Boulevard	630.	1,518
Music Concourse		1,046.50
Cr. Concrete steps Music Concourse & Lodge		164
Maint. Structures.		216
Walks.		261.
Roads & walks		518.75
Grounds.		2,763.45
Forestry.		49
Conservatory		310
Live Stock.		120
Implements		141
Policing.		1415.
Nursery		267.20
Stables.		298
Museum		321
Surveying		118
Salaries Supt & Secty.		175.
Office Boy.	30	$10,249.75

July 1896.

Const. Fence at Lodge 47.		$61.
" Stable " 14		
Maint. Structures.		
Const. Bicycle Road.		971
" Race Fair Gr.		57.50
Music Concourse		976
Roadway		18
Surveying		91
Museum (Const. Acct.)		272.00
Maint of Structures		159.50
Walks		250.65
Roadways		747.75
Boulevard		65
Grounds		3926.65
Forestry.		128.25
Conservatory.		332
Live Stock		124
R.S. & Imp.		85
Policing		1427.75
Nursery		271.65
Stables		306
Museum		424
Salaries Supt & Secty.		415
Office Boy.	31	$10,247.20

August 1896.

Buggy shed & fences	$ 115.50
Const. Bicycle Rd.	1089.25
" Rd. 10th Ave.	214
Music Concourse	919.50
Museum Annex	348.
Surveying	103.
Maint. of Structures	115.
Walks	273.75
Trains	35.
Rds. & walks	674.75
Boulevard	1246.00
Grounds	2747.05
Forestry	94
Conservatory	344
Live Stock	134
Rds. & Imp	137.50
Nursery	278.
Stables	611.
Museum	114.
Supt. & Secty.	115.
Office Boy	51.
Police	1115.25
	$ 10,339.05

September 1896

Conc. Buggy shed		49.50
& Fences		14
Con. of Drainage		
Con. Rd. & Buggy Shed	69.25	74
" Bicycle Rd.	205.50	
" Park Music Concourse	272.25	
" Music Concourse		567.75
Museum Annex		1,663.80
Concourse Easter Bridge Park		761.
Maint. of Structures		12.
Walks		951.25
Drainage		218.65
Trees & Walks		32
Trees		506.50
Grounds		132.
Conservatory		2712.25
Live Stock		329.25
Imp. & R. S.		120
Police		101
Nursery		1484.25
Stables		278.75
Museum.		800
Planting New Park		431
Parkland		1.
Salaries. Supt & Secty		113.25
Office Boy		475.
		30
		$ 10,666.50

October 1896

Contracting Toilet Strawberry Hill	R 11.11
W. p. Ext.	"
C. A. Wack	111.
Const. Dr. at Lake	914.50
" Wack 24th Ave.	16
" Music Concourse	1057.25
Imp. gr. Lodge	648.50
Bicycle Pack. Rd. Border Imp	"
Forestry.	"
Museum Constr. Acct	11 . 11
Surveying	1 1
Maint Structures	
Paint & Bench Chalet	111
Maint. Drives	
Drainage	
Rds & Walks	
Bl. P. & Rd	
Boulevard	
Grounds	
Lunch	
Conservatory	
Fire Stock.	
R. Stock	
Police	
Paving	
Museum	
Salaries	
Office Exp.	

November 1896.

Con. Toilet Strawberry Hill	$ 54 25
M. p. Extension	5
Con. Drains	2 25
Con. Bicycle Rd	225.25
" Dr. 24th Ave	264 10
" Dr. Lake.	853.50
" Mem and Panorama.	14.
Sprinkling grounds	716.25
Redwood Strawberry Hill	112.
[illegible]	863.80
[illegible]	157.40
Survey	77.25
Maint of Structures $23.- Painting Beach Chalet $69.10	92.10
Maint Drives	320.80
Drainage	52.25
Rds rewalks	405.
Buena Vista Park Rd	16
Boulevard	111
[illegible]	2,248.40
Forestry	697
Conservatory	800
[illegible]	192
R Stock Yards	141.
Police	1,160.20
Nursery	800.75
[illegible]	292
Museum	166
Supt & Secty	417
Office Boy	87.50
	[illegible] 50

December 1896.

Const. Police Station $259. Shed 111.50 Beaver Pen. 6.50 Fence. 103. Lavatory Str Hill. 15.	$ 1113
Const. of Drainage	111 25
Const. of Tank Pipes Sewers Culverts $73.75 Const. of Shelters, Rest Houses	1
Repairs	11
Streets. Const.	11
Surveying	1
Rockwork Str. Hill	1
Maint. of Structures	
Roads	631
Grounds	
Forestry	396
Conservatory	
Live Stock	
Steel & Iron	1
Police	1
Nursery	
Stables	1
Museum.	1
Supt. of Sects	1
B.C.R.Rd.	1
Boulevard	1
Office Exp.	1

Recapitulation of Monthly Expenditures Garden Gate Park Material & Labor

Material

1906.		
Jan.	Bills pd. as per Bill Book.	$ 18,634.97
Feby		6,700.01
Mar.		28,618.64
Apr.		9,287.48
May		12,204.73
June		7,343.74
July		194.80
Aug		223.49
Sept.		21,091.99
Oct.		11,993.26
Nov.		2,250.24
Dec		9,865.63
		$145,651.47

Labor

1906	As shown by Statement of Supt.	
Jany.		$ 14,269.65
Feby		10,913.70
March		11,306.18
April		12,251.05
May		9,575.90
June		10,219.75
July		10,339.05
Aug		10,849.70
Sept.		11,605.15
Oct.		10,185.80
Nov.		9,464.32
Dec		$131,309.55

Re Pest House

The Secretary was instructed to answer the communication received from the Panhandle Imp. Club relative to the locating of the Pest House on the Alms House Tract by stating that the Park Commissioners regret very much of not being able to do anything in the matter as it is outside the jurisdiction of the Park.

Contract re [illegible] Rd

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the Contract awarded to Jas. Winslow for [illegible] Pt. Lobos Rd. was ordered discontinued, and the Secretary instructed to inform him of same

Advertising Park

The Secretary was instructed to reply to the [illegible] of American Wheelman L.A.W. in regard to their communication asking for permission to put up a sign in the Rifle Club, that it would be contrary to our rules to allow any kind of [illegible] in the Park, and sorry that it would be impossible to grant their request

Future re Entertainments

In reply to the communication received from the Merchants Association relative to the Park Entertainments to be given in the Park, the Commissioners referred the matter to Supt. [illegible] with them to confer with Mr. King, Supt. and report same to the Commission

Extra work

Comr. Scott who was appointed a Committee of one to the extra work to be done on Bridges [illegible] following Report of the Architects Contract & Contract

S.F. Jan. 18/01

To the Board of Commissioners
Golden Gate Park City

Sirs

[illegible] to [illegible] of Work allowed [illegible]

part of the bridge, we beg to submit the following modifications as to its disposal. The slight change we would finally suggest is that the four groups of Statuary shall occupy the four pedastels (in contract) at the outer corners of the Bridge. And that in place of the upper pedastels before proposed for the centre the lower pedastels (in contract) be finished with a ball with the scroll below as before determined on. The work also to channell the steps between the centre pedestals. The cost of this together with the balls will make the same amount of extra work as before and the price will be the same as follows.

2 seats.	$ 200.
Channelling steps	120
4 Scrolls.	100.
4 Balls.	80
	$ 500.
By milling 4 under pedastels in Contract	100
	$ 600.

The Secretary was instructed to send the following communication to the Grand Jury

Park Office Jan. 19/91

To the Foreman Grand Jury

Sir.

If the press has been full of charges against the management of the Park. The entire Board of Park Commissioners urge upon you Hon. Body a full and exhaustive examination into every detail and will attend to your Commission at the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 28/97, were present;

Comm. Scott (absent)
" Austin
" J. Rosenfeld (absent)

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report

Reports.

Report on Bridge

The monthly Report of Supt Wilson was read and approved and ordered filed.
Communication of Comm. Scott standing by Comm Aust the Reports of C & Grunsky & Engineer Carlson in the amount of Concrete in New Bridge were ordered spread on minutes. Also the report of Lieut Power sent to, the late Comm Jno J. Following is the report submitted by Engr Wm Grunsky on Amount of Concrete in Panhandle Bridge.

S. F. Jan 22/97.

Wm. Austin.
Chas. W. Scott. } Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen:

At your request I have made a careful estimate of the Concrete that will be required in the New Music Hall Conservatory in Golden Gate Park.
Attached hereto my estimate of quantities in detail accompanied by diagrams or five views, which show dimensions that have been made the basis of the Estimate.
At the time of my first visit to the work on the 18th inst. the Concrete had been brought up to near the [illegible] and a [illegible]
nearly the entire rear faces of the Concrete retaining walls. I therefore selected a spot at convenient and measured the rear face of the wall to the foundation, to verify the figures given. The result of the measurements thus made, several days later is shown in section on Sheet No 3
I found the Southeast, Southwest and Northeast wings of the [illegible] to the [illegible]

surfaces lower than those shown in Architects plans. They were constructed as indicated by the diagrams which I present. Measurements were made where the work was accessible & at many points where it had to be uncovered to verify the prescribed dimensions & I found throughout, a reasonable agreement with the prescribed dimensions

Measurements of constructed work were given preference in making my calculations, but as it was manifestly impossible to expose the entire work, particularly as the granite facing had been brought up with the Concrete, prescribed dimensions were otherwise used.

It remains to be said that the thickness of main walls from rear face to contact surface between Concrete & granite, could not be measured. The back faces of the granite blocks were all left rough & irregular, Consequently the position of this contact surface cannot be ascertained, except during construction, & this estimate might require modification to some extent if definite information concerning depth of each course of granite were to be taken into consideration. This moreover cannot now be done for that part of the Structure still under Contract.

The quantity of Concrete in the finished Structure will be as follows;

[illegible] wing	4400.93 cu. ft.
Northeast wing	4493.54 "
Northwest wing	4811.36 "
Northeast wing	5158.52 "
Balustrade foundations	3279.52
Anchors.	800.
	24943.11

The above estimate does not include four small blocks of concrete, filling the spaces between ends of the conduit & the wing walls concerning which I have no definite data.

Very Respectfully

[illegible]

Asst. City Engr.

Estimates in detail & blue prints at sheet 165

Memo to accompany Report of C. E. Gunnell.

To accompany Report of C. E. Gunnell.

Estimates of quantity of Concrete

S. E. Wing. (See Sheet No. 1)

S. E. 1.	3.30 × 3.87 × 4.88 =	62.32 cu. ft.
" 2.	2.00 × 3.87 × 6.05 =	46.53 "
" 3.	1.40 × 4.36 × 3.71 =	22.65 "
" 4	2.00 × 3.97 × 5.35 =	35.76
" 5	1.57 × 3.57 × 11.21 =	22.31 "
" 6	[illegible]	[illegible] "
" 7	{1.40 × 0.55 × 4.21}# {1.65 × 4.02 × 4.71} =	34.118 "
" 8	2.00 × 7.25 × 5.81 =	35.26
" 9	{1.50 × 1.24 × 4.71} {1.52 × 5.17 × 4.11}	44.63 "
" 10	{1.75 × 2.30 × 6.57} {2.00 × 5.17 × 6.38} =	72.1
" 11	{1.[illegible] × [illegible] × [illegible]} {1.05 × 6.34 × 5.21} =	52.14
" 12	{2.00 × 6.34 × 6.38} {1.60 × 6.91 × 6.49} =	96.35
" 13	{1.20 × 1.99 × 5.71} {1.52 × 1.94 × 5.71} {0.90 × 5.87 × 5.71} =	119.11
" 14	{1.00 × 1.59 × 7.30} {2.00 × 5.81 × 6.88} =	91.07
" 15	{4.00 × 3.46 × 5.71} {2.00 × 5.25 × 5.71} =	138.00
" 16	2.00 × 5.71 × 6.88 =	119.85 "
" 17	2.02 × 5.57 × 7.21 =	80.32 "
" 18	5.30 × 6.15 × 5.16 =	164.39 "
" 19	{Top area 5.10 × 7.11 / Middle area 4.16 × 9.63 / Bottom area 13.02 × 11.55}# height 3.31	131.05 "
" 20	26.90 sq. ft. × 11.55 / 15.00 " " × 4.88	202.71 "
" 21	{1.00 × 10.00 × 2.63 / 0.75 × 9.78 × 2.63}	63.96
" 22	1.88 × 20.38 × 2.13 =	81.01
23	1.88 × 04.53 × 1.63 =	104.07 "
	[illegible]	145.35

S. E 25. 1.38 × 50.47 × 2.13 = 148.35 Cu. ft.

" 26 { 1.38 × 9.78 × 2.63 / 4.38 × 49.25 × 2.63 / 3.04 × 3.88 × 2.63 / 1.53 × 3.51 × 2.63 } 647.97 " "

" 27. { 4.59 × 37.38 × 3.13 / 3.09 × 3.95 × 3.13 / 59 × [illegible] } [illegible]

" 28 { [illegible] / 3.21 × 2.90 × 3.63 / 1.86 × 4.29 × 3.63 / 0.14 × 4.35 × 3.63 } 494.30

" 29 { 6.44 × 11.72 × 4.13 / 11.44 × 5.25 × 4.13 / 2.44 × 5.05 × 4.13 / 0.571 × 3.12 × 4.13 } 467.39 " "

[illegible] 4400.92

N. W. Wing (See Sheet No. 2.)

" 1 [illegible] × .95 × [illegible] [illegible]

" 2. 2.00 × 3.55 × 6.13 = 47.20 " "

" 3. { 1.40 × 11.36 × 3.71 # / 1.70 × 7.97 × 11.21 } = 79.69 " "

" 4. 2.00 × 7.97 × 5.38 = 85.76 " "

" 5 1.57 × 3.13 × 4.21 = 24.35 "

" 6 2.00 × 7.00 × 5.38 = 75.32 " "

7 to 29 Same as S.E. 7 to 29 = 4085.74 " "

Total 4493.54 " "

N. W. Wing. (See Sheet No. 3)

N.W. 1 7.60 × 3.35 × 4.85 = 142.79 cu. ft.

2. 1.90 × 3.85 × 6.05 = 44.26

3. 1.40 × 11.36 × 3.71 = 22.65

" 4. 11.35 × 7.97 × 4.21 = 146.97 " "

" 5 2.85 × 3.57 × 11.21 = 43.11 " "

" 6 1.40 × 5.38 × 4.21 22.87 " "

" 7 1.82 × 19.38 × 4.71 = 166.13 " "

" 8 1.90 × 22.06 × 5.38 246.45 " "

" 9 to 19 Same as S.E. No. 9 to 19 1056.26 " "

" 20 { 25.90 [illegible] × 4.63 / 15.60 " " × 3.13 = } [illegible]

" 21 to 29 Same as S.E. No. 21 to 29 2707.03 " "

N. E. Wing. See (Sheet No. 4)

N. E. 1	17'.64 × 3'.88 × 4'.80 =	235.41 cu. ft.
" 2.	1'.115 × [illegible]	[illegible] "
" 3	1.110 × [illegible]	[illegible] "
" 4	4.34 × [illegible]	[illegible] "
" 5	2.85 × 3.87 × 4.71 =	112.11
" 6	1.40 × 3.88 × 4.71 =	22.87 "
" 7	11.59 × 19.38 × 4.71 =	1115.91 "
" 8	[illegible]	[illegible]
" 9	1.44 × 3.95 × 4.71 =	26.79
" 10	0.35 × 17.33 × 5.71 =	49.69 "
" 11 to 19	Same as N.E. No 11 to 19	918.46 "
" 20 to 29	Same as N.W. No 20 to 29 =	2920.57 "
		15 108 62 "

Balustrade Foundation (See Sheet No 5)

74'.10 × 1'.64	604.32	cu. ft
2'.11 × 11'.40 × 1.17 =	10.30	"
[illegible]	[illegible]	"
2.00 × 19.70 × 1.17 =	46.09	"
One fourth of total =	519 56	"

(Total cu ft Balustrade foundations
4 × 519.56 = 2079.52 "
Arches (Not measured, as reported by Architects) 5 each 5'.1 × 11' × 3' = 506.25 "
2585.77

Estimate of total amount of Concrete put in place on the Bridge Golden Gate Park.

Corlead and Corlead Architects

Footings

Northeast		Northwest		Southeast		Southwest	
8.6		8.6		8.6		8.6	
9.0		9.0		9.0		9.0	
3.6	267.9	3.6	267.9	3.6	267.9	3.6	267.9
3.6		3.6		3.6		3.6	
8.9	22.11	8.9	22.11	8.9	22.11	8.9	22.11
15.6		15.6		15.6		15.6	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.10½	213.1½	6.10½	213.1½	6.10½	213.1½	6.10½	213.1½
7.6		7.6		7.6		7.6	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.10½	103.1½	6.10½	103.1½	6.10½	103.1½	6.10½	103.1½
7.3		7.3		7.3		7.3	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.4½	92.5	6.4½	92.5	6.4½	92.5	6.4½	92.5
29.6		7.4		7.6		7.6	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
5.10½	346.7	5.10½	86.2	5.10½	88.1½	5.10½	88.1½
2.10		23.0		8.3		8.3	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.1½	46.11	5.10½	270.3	5.10½	96.11	5.10½	96.11
	1092.10	3.10		7.0		7.0	
		2.0		2.0		2.0	
		6.11½ – 46.11		5.4½	82.3	5.4½	82.3
			1102.8	8.0		8.0	
				2.0		2.0	
				4.10½	78.	4.10½	78.0
				3.10		3.10	
				2.0		2.0	
				6.1½	46.11	6.1½	46.11
					1091.8		1091.8
							1091.8
							1092.10
							1102.8
							4.37½

Wall at top of Footings

1.5		1.5		1.5		1.1	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
5.9	108.11	5.9	108.4	5.9	108.3½	5.9	108.3½
11.5		11.5		11.5		1.1	
1.11		1.11		1.11		1.11	
5.9	48.11	5.9	48.11	5.9	48.11	5.9	48.11
6.11		6.11		6.11		6.11	
1.7		1.2		1.2		1.7	
5.9	46.6	5.9	46.6	5.9	46.0	5.9	46.0
2.3		2.3		2.3		2.3	
1.9		1.9		1.9		1.9	
5.6	22.0	5.6	22.6	5.6	22.0	5.6	22.0
6.1		6.1		6.1		6.1	
1.1		1.1		1.1		1.1	
5.3	34.7	5.3	34.7	5.3	34.7	5.3	34.1
1.10		1.10		1.10		1.10	
1.9		1.9		1.9		1.9	
5.3	16.11	5.3	16.11	5.3	16.10	5.3	16.10
23.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
4.9		1.9		1.9		1.9	
4.6	491.7	4.9	41.7	4.9	41.6	4.9	41.6
11.6		19.6		4.6		4.6	
4.3		1.8		1.8		1.1	
4.4	211.8	4.9	154.5	4.9	35.7	4.9	35.7
4.9		11.9		.6		.6	
1.6		4.4		1.6		1.6	
3.9	26.11	4.3	216.5	4.3	3.2	3.9	
3.10		4.4		3.9		1.6	
4.10		1.6		1.6		4.3	24.1
12.3	226.7	3.9	24.5	4.3	24.1		
	1234.0	3.10		.3			
		4.10		1.7		1.7	
		4.3	1.9	4.3	1.9	4.3	1.9
		4.4		4.4		4.4	
		1.6		1.6		1.6	
		3.9	24.5	3.9	24.5	3.9	24.5
		1.6		1.6		1.6	
		3.8		3.8		3.8	
		4.0	14.8	4.0	14.8	4.0	14.8
		1.0		1.10		1.10	
		3.6		3.6		3.6	
		3.8	12.10	3.8	12.10	3.8	12.10
		5.6		5.6		5.6	
		3.9		3.9		3.9	
		1.10	15.7	1.10	15.9	1.10	15.9
			855.9		853.5		853.5
							853.5
							851.9

Backing to Stone work

Northeast side.		North west side.		Southeast side.		Southwest side	
A	12.6 2.0 4.6 112.6	A	12.6 2.0 4.6 112.6	A	11.2 4.4 2.0 96.9	A	11.3 4.6 2.0 101.4
B	17.8 2.0 4.8 164.10	B	17.8 2.0 4.8 164.10	B	15.6 3.10 2.0 118.10	B	15.4 4.4 2.0 132.10
C	21.9 1.9 4.8 177.10	C	21.9 1.9 4.8 176.9	C	20.9 2.0 4.2 172.11	C	20.5 4.4 2.0 176.11
D	26.6 1.6 3.7 142.4	D	26.6 1.6 3.7 142.6	D	25.0 3.9 1.9 164.0	D	25.6 4.6 1.9 200.9
E	29.4 1.4 3.7 140.0	E	29.4 1.4 3.7 140.0	E	26.6 3.6 1.6 149.7	E	28.6 4.4 1.6 185.3
F	33.3 4.1 1.10 248.10	F	33.3 4.1 1.10 248.10	F	33.0 3.6 1.6 173.3	F	33.4 1.8 4.0 222.0
G	37.7 3.3 1.9 213	G	37.7 3.3 1.9 213.9	G	37.9 3.0 1.6 169.10	G	38.2 1.9 3.8 244.10
H	41.7 3.0 1.6 187.3	H	41.7 3.0 1.6 187.1	H	41.7 3.3 1.6 202.7	H	42.0 1.6 3.8 231.0
I	46.7 3.4 1.8 258.9	I	46.7 3.4 1.8 258.9	I	45.0 2.11 1.9 229.7	I	45.7 1.6 3.0 205.0
J	51.0 2.9 1.6 210.4	J	51.0 2.9 1.6 210.4	J	49.0 2.8 1.3 164.0	J	50.6 1.6 3.4 251.6
K	54.4 2.9 1.6 224.1	K	54.4 2.9 1.6 224.1	K	53.8 2.8 1.6 214.9	K	54.2 1.6 3.4 270.10
L	57.10 2.5 1.6 209.7	L	57.10 2.5 1.6 209.7	L	53.6 2.8 1.3 193.4	L	58.2 1.6 3.4 290.10
M	61.4 2.5 1.6 222.4	M	61.4 2.5 1.6 222.4	M	61.4 2.5 1.6 222.4	M	61.4 2.5 1.6 222.4
N	54.0 1.3 2.0 135.0	N	54.0 1.3 2.0 135.0	N	54 1.3 2.0 135.0	N	54.0 1.3 2.0 135.0
O	54.0 1.5 1.8 127.6	O	54. 1.5 1.8 127.6	O	54.0 1.5 1.8 127.6	O	54.0 1.5 1.8 127.6
	2773.10		2773.10		2533.15		2997.11

2533.15

2773.10

2773.10

Total. 11,079.10

Backing to Arches up to Top of Cornice

North side

4.6
5.0
2 — 3.9 .5 C .3

11.4
3.8
2 — 3.0 249.

43.1
2.7
1.10 204.1

809.4

South side

[illegible]
15.C
2 3.9 .5 C .3

11.4
3.8
2 — 3.C 347.C

41.1
2.7
1.1C 304.1

[illegible]

Concrete Blocks in Arches

5.0
4.0
4 — 5.0 500.

Foundation for Pier Arches

1.9
5.6
4 — 9.6 346.6
4.C
8.9
4 — 4.9 340.C

5.C
5.0
4 — 4.3 125.C
4.5
4.5
4 — 1.9 136.6
5.0
2.0
4 — 34.C 216C
22.C
1.0
2 — 5.9 253.0

3767.0
Deduct 399.C
3368

Totals

Footings	[illegible]
Wall on top of footings	[illegible]
Backing to Stonework	[illegible]
Backing to Arches &c to	1015.1
Concrete Anchor Stones	1100
Concrete in Foundations	[illegible]
	[illegible]

Report of Lieut Potter. U.S.A.

The cost of concrete 23 cents per cubic foot. I consider very reasonable, in fact should not consider 29 or 30 cents excessive the latter being the figure at which I arrived after allowing a good profit on all materials and a safe figure in labor. From a measurement of all the work that would be done, I concluded that the concrete would not materially from the plans, and so took that as the basis allowing 20 cubic feet each for anchors, which the Superintendent told me was the amount put into them. I computed the concrete work carefully three times, and as a result, find the total amount of concrete in place at the date of my examination, Dec. 13. 1896 was 11.878 cubic feet which at 23 cents would make $2731.94. The amount of concrete yet to be put in is 1,178 cubic feet.

Warrants

Following is the monthly Report of the Secretary which was read and approved and ordered filed

Labor.	(16 warrants)	$9038.95
Bills	(19 "	8037.90
		$17076.85

The above warrants were examined and ordered paid

Obstruction Slow Lake.

A petition was received relative to making certain accomodations in the vicinity of Slow Lake so as to facilitate the holding of regattas of miniature yachts.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin it was referred to Supt McLaren to look into the matter, and for him to do all that was necessary for the accomodation of the yachts.

Bids on printing

The following Bids were received for the printing and making of a "Distribution of Labor Book."

E C Hughes $24.50
Stat Crocker Co. 21.50
Le Count Bro 14.61

Le Count Bros being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them

No Song at Concerts.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Kustner Supt. Williams was instructed to inform Mr Gio Willcutt who has charge of the Park Concerts to see that the song of "Hail California" by Miss J Orr be played at the end of every Concert, and that the same be printed on the programmes

Reports amount of Concrete.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Prof. Geo. Davidson was invited to inspect the Reports submitted by Orchard & Orchard, C.E. Shirley relative to the amount of Concrete in Bridge according to their respective Reports and the accuracy of the conclusions reached and to report same to the Commissioners Also on the report of Supt. Potter to the late Grand Jury

Bid on Loam

A bid for Loam was received from A. E. Buckman as follows

$1.- pr. load delivered in yard & store room South of the Park near Stanyan St & 95c pr. Ld. containing 2 cu yds delivered. For $1.- per two horse wagon load.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Lord [illegible]

The Board then adjourned

print

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 17/97 were present,

Comr Jos Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" I Rosenfeld (abs.)

The following business was transacted,

The following Report and correspondence of Prof. Davidson was received and read and ordered filed and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin it was ordered spread upon the minutes.

S.F. Cal Jan. 23/97

Hon. Irving M. Scott.
222 Market St. S.F.

Dear Sir

Herewith I transmit my estimate of quantity of concrete that will be in the finished Main Drive Viaduct (as stated in the report) for which the contract price should be accepted.
Please send me word in case you wish me to do anything further in this matter.

Yours Respectfully
C.E Grunsky.

S.F. Jan. 4/97

Prof. Geo Davidson.

Dear Sir.

As a result of our conference in the Park on Jan. 30th, and in your office on Feb. 3rd and with Mr. Ernest Coxhead of the firm Coxhead and Coxhead, Architects relating to the concrete work in the Main Drive Viaduct, and based upon his explanations of concrete dimensions which by are inaccessible & not clearly apparent in the plans of the structure; and guided also by the measurement at the southeast arch for

uncovered at your request, I agree to the following additions to and corrections of my estimate of concrete in the finished structure, as contained in my report to the Park Commissioners dated Jan. 7th. 1897.

Add,- Four small blocks of concrete between wingwalls and ends of viaduct, referred to as omitted in my report.
4 × 1.00 × 1.00 × 13.50 = 54.00 cu. ft.

Add,- a six inch layer of concrete under each of the four balustrade piers
4 × 0.50 × 8.92 × 11.46 = 204.00 "

Add,- To Block No. 18 for thickness 1.75 ft. in excess of that shown by figures on diagrams.
4 × 3.30 × 6.10 × 1.75 = 141.00 "

Add,- For full depth allowance, to blocks Nos. 18 & 19 each 3.30 ft instead of 3.00 ft.
4 × 0.30 × 11.78 × 11.66 = 165.00 "

Add,- To blocks Sk. 6 & 7 N. No 7 for length of each 4.07 ft. instead of 4.00
2 × 0.05 × 1.65 × 11.71 = 1.93 "

4113.93 cu. ft.

Deduct,- From Block No. 21. Conduit (shading on Block 20). 4 × 3.60 × 2.63 = 37.97

From Block No. 28 conduit
4 × 0.67 cu. ft. = 2.70

From Block N.E. No. 4 (duct discontinued) (1.34)
14.34 × 7.97 × 0.17 = 15.53

For modification of dimensions of Block No 20
4 × 0.75 × 44.67
− 4 × 0.25 × 16.75 × 3.75 = 41.00

117.53

Total to be added 323.81 "

Amount of Concrete named in Report. 22.913.87 cu. ft.
Add (as above noted) 323.81 " "
Corrected Total [illegible]

This Estimate of quantity of concrete, as explained in my report, is based on the [illegible]
is backed by Concrete, [illegible]
-tive materials is on the [illegible]
Architects. A deviation from this prescribed [illegible]

(and in work of this character some deviation is to be expected) will materially alter the above estimate An inch variation of this contact surface in average position from that intended would increase or decrease the above rated quantity by 328 cu. ft. Please transmit the information herein contained to the Park Commissioners.

Yours Very Respectfully
C. E. Grunsky

S. F. Cal. Feb. 10. 1897

To the Commissioners of Golden Gate Park.
San Francisco. Cal.

Gentlemen;

On the 29th. of January 1897, I received your letter of the 28th. asking me to "inspect the reports submitted by Corbett & Corbett, Architects and Engineer C. E. Grunsky relative to the amount of concrete in the Bridge, according to their respective reports, and the accuracy of the conclusions reached" by them. And furthermore "to ascertain from Lieut. Charles L. Potter, U.S. Engineers, the basis of his calculations, and how he arrived at the same," because you had no copy of his report to the Grand Jury. With this letter was a newspaper slip giving the amount of material reported by him

I promptly asked messrs. Grunsky, Corbett & Corbett and Lieut Potter to confer with me at the Main Drive viaduct on the 30th. Lieut. Potter did not get my note until late in that day and was not therefore present.

We examined several points of the structure, and at my request several places were uncovered and measurements made. Also check measures of the balustrade were taken.

I have compared all Mr. Grunsky's figures with his drawings and measurements, and have independently computed his work, which he had done with his usual accuracy. With Mr. Grunsky I accepted from the Architect certain measures not [illegible] the [illegible]

warranted.

I then invited Mr. Ernest Corhead to meet us to understand the cause of difference between him and Mr. Grunesky because each had pursued his own method of dividing up and measuring the masses. Our difference was acknowledged by the Architect and deducted from his statement. There then remained a difference of 763.43 cu. ft. which we all explain in this way,--- as the concrete work of the structure had been finished when Mr. Grunesky made his measurements, he was necessarily compelled to take a certain surface line of the work for the Contact surface between the granite and the concrete. whereas, Mr. Corhead had measured the actual line of contact of every course and these contacts were irregular.

The result of our conference is that Mr. Grunesky's final computation gives 23267/48 cu. ft
my recomputation 23,267/48 "
the Architects statement [illegible] "

This leaves a difference of 763.43 cubic feet above the measures and computations of Mr. Grunesky; a difference of thickness of 3/4 of an inch over the contact with the granite facing will reasonably account for the amount

I have [illegible] and I called to see Mr. Corhead on the basis of his Computation. He frankly says that he was simply called upon to go out to the said and look over the bridge work that could be seen Consult only with the Superintendent of the said and give an opinion of the Concrete in place as that time, that he had not authority to investigate or uncover the work or to consult with the Architect or any one else who knew about the plans or work. He further says, [illegible] that he measured to the top of the concrete, [illegible] being over the courses in bands

He was not aware that there were [illegible] the two offsets in the finer surface of the concrete. nor had he any information as to the [illegible] bases and their slays.

The two balustrades to divide the Main span from

the foot-passages were not commenced and he understood they were to be granite,
The spandrills were empty and he understood they were to be filled with stones.
There was nothing in the small plans furnished him to distinguish granite from concrete.
These statements are sufficient to satisfy me that he had wholly insufficient data upon which to make an exhaustive computation and report. He frankly agrees with me. I have no doubt whatever that if Lieut. Potter had been given the same authority as Mr. Grunsky and myself to investigate ... and measure the concrete, he would have arrived at the same result as ourselves.

Very Respectfully
Geo. Davidson.

Meeting with property owners

A delegation of property owners from Pt. Lobos Road appeared before the Board with a petition asking for the improving of the said Road from Central Ave. to the Cliff House and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the communication was ordered placed on file and the Supt. instructed to carry out the improvements as far as in his judgment it ... [illegible]
Supt. McLaren presented an estimate of macadamizing the Road bed 12 ft. each side of R.R. Track between Central Ave. and 6th. Ave. for $1560. His estimate from 32nd Ave to the Beach $650. and the grading of 3 Blocks to the level of the Sutro R.R. Track about $750.

Permit ... Merchants Association

In reply to the communication received from the Merchants Association the Board resolved to accept the street sweepings at 30cts. per cu. yd. for the term of 3 years provided arrangements are made by which the same is delivered in certain designated places in the Park.

Mummy Cases:

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Supt. McLaren was instructed to have made three Mummy Cases for the Museum. The Contract for the Coin Case was awarded to Mr. Wold for $[illegible]

Resubmitted

"H" St

In reply to the communication received from the Cailaghan Estate Co. relative to making an opening on the South side of the Park at the intersection of 11th Ave. with "H" St. the Secretary was instructed to inform them that it would be [illegible] as it would necessitate a [illegible] at that point in the changing of the Road.

The Board then adjourned

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 24/97 were present,

Comm. Jos Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld. (abs.)

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

The following Report of the Secretary was read and approved and the warrants drawn and ordered paid

Labor.	$ 8,444.95	(177 warrants.)
Material	3,663.77	(41 ")
Total.	$ 12,108.72	

The following Bids for Pipe were received and on motion of Comm Scott seconded by Comm Austin, the Supt. was instructed to purchase the necessary amount where he could get the best and cheapest.

Levy & Eisner and Co.

S.F. Feb. 23/97

To the Hon. Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen,- We take pleasure in quoting You on the following

3000 ft. 2" galvanized pipe at 14½ per. ft
2000 . 1½ . . . 10½ .
1000 . 1¼ . . . 8¼ . .

This is the best price we can make you. Yours

This amount would weigh about 18,350 lb. and if you could increase the order so as to make it weigh 24,000 lb, or add any other size pipe sufficient to make 24000 lb. we could make you the following prices.

2" galvanized pipe. 13½c per ft
1½" " " 9⅔ " "
1¼ " " 7⅓ " "

With a proportionate reduction on other sizes.
Hoping that we may be favored [illegible] we assure you will receipe prompt [illegible]

We are,
Yours truly
[illegible] Company
W. J. Loring Manager

Bid of Miller Hoss & Scott.

S. F. Feb 23/9.

Mr. John M[illegible]

City.

Dear Sir,
We quote you –
3000 ft. of 2" galvanized pipe [illegible]
2000 ft. of 1½" "
1000 " 1¼" 5¢

Terms sixty days or 2% discount for cash
Trusting that we may be favored with your order we rem.

Yours very truly,
Miller Hoss & Scott
per [illegible]

Bid of Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson

S. F. Feb. 25 97

Park Commissioners, G.G. Park S.F.

Gentlemen, –
At the request of your Mr. Williams, we are pleased to quote you the following price on [illegible].
3000 ft. 2" galvd iron pipe (a 14¼ c
2000 " 2" " 10½ c
1000 " 1¼" " 8¼ c
Hoping to be favored with [illegible]

Yours Truly,
H. Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson
per G. P. Ayers

Dea of Kunkam, Carrigan Hayden Co.

S.F. Feb. 24/97

Mr. A. M Jaeu
Supt Golden Gate Park. S.F.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your inquiry for prices on Pipe, for the following quantities and sizes, we quote as follows;-

		Black.	Dipped	Galv.
3,000 ft.	2"	9 1/2 ¢	10 1/2 ¢	14 1/4 ¢
2,000 "	1 1/2 "	7 ¢	7 3/4 ¢	10 1/2 ¢
1000 "	1 1/4"	5 1/2 ¢	6 1/8 ¢	8 1/4 ¢

The approximate weight of the above order is about 18,500 pounds. If enough could be added to bring the weight up to 24,000 pounds, making a carload, the prices would be as follows;

	Black.	Dipped	Galv.
2"	8 2/3 ¢	9 2/3 ¢	13 1/4 ¢
1 1/2 "	6 1/2 ¢	7 1/4 ¢	9 2/3 ¢
1 1/4"	5 1/8 ¢	5 3/4 ¢	7 1/3 ¢

The weight on the various sizes, per foot, are as follows;

2	3.61 lbs per ft
1 1/2"	2.68 " "
1 1/4"	2.244 " "

The cartage will be $2.- per ton, additional.

[illegible]

[illegible]
for S Plummer

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Mar. 27/97 were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair.)
" D. M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants

The report of the Secretary was submitted and the following warrants were examined and ordered paid.

317	Labor warrants	$12,069 76
48	" Material	46 72.32
		$16.742.08

Relative to the plan submitted in the News to the Electrical Works it was on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld referred to Supt with to make such changes in the plan as he deems necessary to suit the surroundings and if necessary to confer with Mr Forsyth. Said work to be done by the men employed by the Park

A communication was received from the St. Louis Imp. Club asking the Board to lay a 5 ft. plank sidewalk where not already laid on the north side of St. Louis Ave. from Central Ave to 15th Ave.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Club that when their Committee appeared before the Board at the last meting it was agreed upon that the Commissioners would do all in their power to put the Road in good condition and that they could not lay down sidewalks on private property

Relative to a laborer in the Park who was injured while at work was allowed payment for the month provided he would not sue the City for the injuries he received

Offer of clock declined.

A communication was received from Mr. O H. Kind offering to sell a large clock suitable for some Park Building. The Secretary was instructed to inform him that the Commissioners had no use for same.

Re, silk worm referred to Supt. McLaren

A communication was received from Mr. Jos. Neumann requesting that a special tract of land in the Park be set aside for the cultivation of the California silk worm and its food plant the Cascara Sagrada.
The same was referred to Supt McLaren

To [illegible] Lodge

Privilege was granted to Mr. Willcutt, Manager of the Park Band to store the Music in the Attic of the Lodge

The Board then adjourned

E. C. Bird
Sec.

Meeting. | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 27/97, were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin.
" D. M. Scott
" John Rosenfeld.

| The following business was transacted,

Minutes | The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Supt. report | The Monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Police report | The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants. | The following Repot of the Secretary was read and approved, and the warrants examined and ordered paid

Salaries $12,884.25 [illegible]
Material 4106.26 48
$16990.51

Reduction in hose | Supt McLaren submitted the following Bids received for Hose & Nozzles

Bid No. 1 | Gorham Rubber Co | 1½" 4ply "Eagle Hose" 28c. p. ft. net
" 4 " [illegible]
1 " [illegible]

N.Y. Belting & Packing Co.
1½"—4ply "Cairn" Rubber Hose 16 2/3c p. ft.
1" " " " " 13 1/3c " "

Bid No. 2 | Gorham Rubber Co.
[illegible]

Woodlock.

1" 4 ply	.22½c per sq. ft.
1¼" "	29c " "

Bowers Rubber Co.

	Tire Cat.	Seal Rock
1" 4 ply per ft	.19	.16
1¼" " " "	.23	.19

Goodyear Rubber Co

1" 4 ply special.	.18c
1¼" " "	.22½c
1¼" 5 " "	.27½c
1 ¼" — 4 ply cheaper quality	.16½c

Western Rubber Co

1" — 4 ply per ft.	.22½c
1¼" 4 " "	.28c

Bids for Hay

Smith, Purcell & Co.

Choice Hollister Straw	$12.
Wheat	.11

Church & Co

#1 Wheat & Oat Hollister Choice.	$11.50
" 1 "	11.
#1 Wheat & Oat	10.
2 "	9.-
Best Lifted Straw	.65c
#1 Straw	60c
2 "	.55c

Scott & McCord.

1 Wheat Hollister Hay	$11.
" Oat "	10.
2nd Grade Wheat Oat	10.
" " "	$9.50
Straw per bale best	50 cts

Somers & Co.

Two cars best Hollister Wheat Hay $11.50 pr. Ton
" " Wheat & Oat Hay mix 10.50 " "
Best Barley Straw 55c pr. Bale.

Peters & Conrad.

Wheat Hay $11.- pr. Ton
Wheat & Oat Hay 10.25 " "
Straw pr. Bale 47½ ¢

Supt McLaren was instructed to purchase the necessary amount where he can get it best & cheapest

Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase
1000 ft. 1¼ Live Oak Hose @ .23c from Revere Rubber Co
" 1¼ - 5 ply @ 27½ ¢ from Goodyear Rubber Co
" " 1" @ .18c " "

Retaining gebruikt erwegingen

A communication was received from the Market St R'y Co relative to the hauling of street sweepings to the Park Asy to enter into Contract for a certain period & upon motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the same was referred to Attorney Glen. Fitzgerald for him to give his opinion whether said Contract can be made.

A communication was received from the J. Willcutt Prairie Park Band relative to a collection of Music which he desired the Commissioners to purchase for the use of Band The matter was referred to Supt. McLaren to examine same and to confer with Mr. Willcutt and to report at the next meeting.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the communication received from the U. H. Gas and Electric Co was ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to send them a communication asking for drawings & specifications of lamp posts & line which they suggested

Sec'y to receive bids re lighting of Parks

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld Supt McLaren was instructed to receive Bids upon the specifications prepared for the Electric Lighting of the Park and the same were sent to
Gen. Electric Co
Ft. Wayne Electric Co
Siemens & Haske
Westinghouse Electric Co

Plans for Electrical House

On motion of Comr Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the plans and specifications for the Electrical House were accepted and agreed upon.

Heating of Museum

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Austin the heating of the Museum was referred to Comr. Scott.

Contract extension to Park Museum

The plans for the extension of the Museum Heating were accepted and the Supt was authorized to construct a brick wall adjoining the other three walls and the same to be done by the laborers of the Park

Bids for heating apparatus

The Supt. was authorized to receive Bids for the Heating Apparatus necessary to heat the entire Structure according to the specifications now on file

Discharge men

Supt. McLaren was instructed to discharge 20 men at the end of the month

The Board then adjourned.

W O Block
Sec'y

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held May 13/97 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" Wm. Scott
" J. Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted,

To loan 5 teams to Relief of Unemployed fom.

A communication was received from Wm M. Burden, Chairman of the Citizens Committee for Relief of the unemployed relative to the loan of some teams from the Park for work on the Boulevard, &c, on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld, Supt. McLaren was instructed to send 5 teams to the Boulevard for 10 days, and that the Citizens Committee give in exchange, to the Park all tools & implements now being used in the construction of the Boulevard.

Bids on loam

The following Bids were received for Loam to be delivered East and West of Strawberry Hill about 10,000 cu. yds.

O. McHugh .65 pr. cu. yd. East of Strawberry Hill and .70 West

Sullivan Sons. 1.90 pr. Load each Load to constitute two yards

J. Tuttle. .87½ cts.

Buckman Contracting Co. 1.63 pr Ld. each Ld. to contain two cu. yds

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Contract was awarded to O. McHugh

The Board then adjourned.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held May 15/97, were present,

Comr J. Austin (in the Chair)
" D. M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Museum Annex

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the plans as altered for the roof of the Annex of the Museum and the eyebeams of the floor submitted by the Pacific Rolling Mills be accepted
Roof $ 1148.- Beams $ 28.60

Plans of pole & conduit

The Secty. was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of the plan of pole and underground Conduit system submitted by the S.F. Gas and Electric Co.

Letter

A communication was received from the S. F. Association of Y.M.C. Clubs asking for the construction of a wagon Road from 3rd Ave & 41 St. Entrance through the Park to said Stanyan St. Said Request was denied

Acknowledge communication

The Secretary was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of the communication received from Atty. Gen. Fitzgerald.

Bids for brick for Annex to Museum

The following Bids were received for Brick for Annex to Museum.
Sacramento Sand & Lime Co $5.50 pr M at Museum in Park
Lemillard Brick Co $7 pr M F.O.B. cars 44th & Sunset Sts.
J.E. Carey $6 pr M delivered at Museum. G.G. Park.
On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the bid of J.E. Carey was accepted.

Also the bid of Mr McCall of $6.- for laying M brick

Re. Ambulance Station signs

A communication was received from the Board of Health asking the Board to erect information posts & red lamps in the Park designating the location of the Ambulance Stations.

The Secty. was instructed to answer same by stating that due publicity had been given relative to location of same and that the Comrs could not do any more.

Adj.

The Board then adjourned.

C.C. Stock

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park-Commissioners held May 27/97, were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" M. Scott.
" J Rosenfeld.

The following busmiss was transacted,

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Supt's Report. The monthly Repas of Supt McFarlane was read and approved and ordered filed. And all improvements suggested were approved.

Warrants The following Report of the Secretary was read and the warrants examined and ordered paid.

Labor.	$13,072.95	(237 warrants.)
Bills	7,738.18	152 ")
	$17,031113	

Advertisements for Bids. The following Bids were received for heating the Rooms.

W. M. Montague	$3,130.-
Geo. A. Fay Co.	3,155.-

W. M. Montague & Co, being the lowest bidders, the Contract was awarded to them with the understanding that they satisfactorily heat the Commissioners and Secretary's Room in Lodge

Contract with McLennon. On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Repat submitted by Cochead & Cochead for extra work done by A McLennon on Granite Bridge was adopted and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin a warrant was ordered made out in favor of said McLennon for $1787.32 which is to be held in this Office until in the presence of Supt. and Secretary the following men are

paid the following amounts due them for work performed

Jones	$81.
Withers	114.
Flint	84.40
Kane & Williams	99.50
	$378.90

Mr. McLennan filed a Bond for $1200.- with Thos Burton & M. McGowan as sureties) for above payments.

Re removal of fences on Stanyan St

A communication was received from the Sunset District Ass'n. Club relative to the removal of certain fences on Stanyan St & also of the widening of said Street. The Secretary was instructed to answer the Club by stating that by virtue of an Act of the Bd. of Supervisors it is outside the jurisdiction of the Commissioners. Furthermore they have no power to grant portions of the Park for purposes other than what is needed in the Park.

Offer of picture denied

A communication was received from [illegible] wishing to sell two pictures to the Museum. The Secretary was instructed to write to him stating that the Commissioners have no means whereby to purchase them.

Bids for electric lighting

Bids for the Electric lighting of Park were received from the following firms

Gen. Electric Co
Ft. Wayne Electric Corporation.
Abner Doble Co
[illegible] Electric Co
J. A. Roebling's Sons Co
National Sim Works.
Otis Engine Co
E. C Lennon
Eureka Boiler Works.
Dow Steam Pump Works.
Westinghouse Electric Mfg. Declined to Bid
[illegible]

Wells, Russell & Co
C. A. Hooper

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Huston all the Bids received for the Electric lighting of the Park were referred to Comr Scott and Supt McLaren with instructions to decide what was best for Park and to award Contract for same

Supt. McLaren was instructed to expend $500.- for constructing Corrals & fences.

Adj.

The Board then adjourned.

W W Block
Secty.

Adj. Meeting

At a Special Meeting held on the 3/97 Comrs. Austin, Rosenfeld and Smith were present.

A communication was received from the Life Saving Service asking permission to repair and extend the Roadway constructed by the said service in front of the Golden Gate Park Life Saving Station and on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Austin the said request was granted to repair the Roadway from the Boulevard to mean high water mark in the front of the said station etc provided that no excavations shall be made that will endanger the water front or in anyway impair the permanent improvements

The Board then adjourned.

Secretary

Meeting

at a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held June 25 97, were present,

Comr. Austin. (abs.)
" Rosenfeld.
" Scott.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Supts. Report

The monthly Repot of Supt. M Laren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants.

The following Repot of the Secretary was read and the warrants examined, and ordered paid

Labor	14,857.65	262 Warrants
Bills	387.88	do
Total	15,245.53	

Donation of Ivories

A communication was received from Mr. J. L. Bardwell tendering to the Park Museum a collection of Ivories. The same was accepted by the Board, and the Secty instructed to send a letter of thanks for his kind and generous donation.

Offer of Curios

A communication was received from Mr. G. T. French offering for sale for the Museum a collection of Curios from

The same was referred to Curator Wilcomb to go and examine them and to report on

Supts

Capt. Thomson submitted his annual report relative to the amount of arrests and fines received from same. The same was ordered filed.

To buy

Mr. Jas. Winslow offered to sell a team of horses for $350. and the Supt was instructed to

Report re. Elec. Lt.

Comr. Scott and Supt. McLaren who had been appointed a Committee on the Electric lighting of the Park submitted the following Report which was approved by the Board and ordered spread upon the minutes.

June 15/97

Commissioners of Golden Gate Park
San Francisco. Cal.

Gentlemen;—

Your Committee appointed at last meeting to examine bids received and those with time in, regarding the Electric Plant in Golden Gate Park, with power to act, begs leave to submit the following Report.

Two Systems of dynamos were bid upon, one known as the Constant Potential System, and one known as the [illegible] System.

In the Constant Potential System the dynamos are larger and the wire more expensive

In the Series System the dynamos cost more than the other System, but the wire cost a great deal less as it admits of attaching lamps on the return wire as well as upon the outgoing wire

The Siemens & Halske Electric Co., the General Electric Co., and the Fort Wayne Electric Corporation all recommend the [illegible] System

The bids on the dynamos of the Potential System are as follows;

General Electric Co.

		Base
2 Dynamos		
35 Lamps		
56,000 ft. #6 Rubber Covered Wire		
15,000 " #12 " " "		
50,000 " #10 " " "	$2083.76	

(In their letter they state the above will not fill the requirements)

Fort Wayne Electric Corporation.

2 Dynamos.	$2,040.
Switchboard	350.
35 Lamps	700.
60,000 #6 Habirshaw Red Cre Lead covered wire	7,800.
Same amount wire only jute covered.	4,800.

Abner Doble Co.

2 Dynamos, 30 light capacity, with triple
[illegible] engine pulleys in accordance
with the specifications $4,522.
(No piping included in above.)

1 Water Tube Boiler not in accordance with
specifications, without pipes or any accessories $3,384.

Condenser, not in accordance with the specifications 584.
[illegible]

60,000 #6 Jute covered Habirshaw wire 4,080.
Redwood Conduit boiled in asphaltum.
Guaranteed to give satisfactory service
Price per thousand linial feet 85.

The bids on the dynamos of the Series System are as
follows.

[illegible]

1- Brush Arc Generator $3,700.
35 Arc Lights with hoods and globes complete 945.
1- Thompson-Houston 35K.W. dynamo 3,405
In either case the wire necessary will be
[illegible] 200.

Fort Wayne Electric Corporation. Bid No. 1 being the cheaper one.

2- No. 9 Generators 40 Lamp capacity	$3,283.
Switchboard	150.
35- Lamps.	630.
35- Hoods.	140.
35 Lamps of the Upton Midget type	718

Siemens & Halske Electric Co.

2 – 40 light Generators	$3,375.
35 – Lamps	625.
35 – Hoods	33.
Or 35 – Hoods arranged with stands	150
55,000 ft. Iron Piping Conduits	2,090
55,000 ft. Wood Conduit	1,870
35 – Iron Poles as pr. sketch enclosed	1000

C. A. Roebling's Sons Co.

60,000 ft. rubber covered lead encased electric wire No 6 S. C., 3/16" insulation. Weight 1060 lbs per 1,000 ft., as per sample, excepting rubber to be 1/8" thick which is ample. Price 7 9/10 cts pr. foot weighing 786 lbs. per thousand ft. $1,170.

Cigars & Weiler.

Siemens & Halske Electric Co.

Boilers and Engines erected in running order as per specifications $[illegible]

National Iron Works

Boilers and Engines, erected as per specifications $9,970.

Ohmen Engine Co.

These people declined to bid upon the specifications but offered to furnish engines of their own type, not in accordance with specifications. (Rejected)

$2,000.-

J. C. Semmen.

[illegible]

Eureka Boiler Works.

Bid per the Boilers in accordance with specifications, delivered at their works for. $3,100.-

Or will erect them in their place in the Park, strictly in accordance with all the requirements of the specifications for. 600.-

Making price for boilers erected as per specifications $3,700.-

Dow Steam Pump Wks,

Bid to furnish engines in accordance with specifications at Works. $3,250.

Delivered at the Park and erected in place with all steam piping, and everything complete, additional 760.-

Air pumps, injector, discharge pipes 770

Erected in the Park as per specifications $4,780.-

The Brush Electric Co

Declined to bid

Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.

Bid to furnish lamps of the Upton Midget type. Constant Potential System for each. $19.90

Abner Doble & Co.

Bid for lamp-posts as per sample 40 ft. 22.50

Steps on pole 1.

23.50

Siemens & Haske Electric Co

Bid for lamp-posts as per plan attached (35) 1,000

Underground Conduit

Abner Doble & Co.

Sent in a bid of $17.50 per thousand feet. Upon inquiry what they proposed to furnish it was found that they had made a mistake in their bid, and their price was $35.- per thousand feet or 3½ cts. per running foot.

Wells, Russell & Co.,

Bid to furnish 60,000 ft. wood for. $1.600.-
Dipping 300.
Making total price for 60,000 ft. $1900.-
a 3/6 cts pr. foot.

C. A Hooper

Bid to furnish 60,000 ft. 2 x 4" with 1/2" hole for cable delivered at the dipping place at the price per lineal foot of 7 cts
Francis Smith charges $7.50 per thousand feet for dipping making the total cost per running foot wood dipping 3 c.

The bids of Chown & Co. Aug Abner Pole Co, not being in accordance with the Specifications, were rejected.

Your Committee awarded to -

Dow Steam Pump Works. Engines, air pumps, piping Aug. fittings erected at the Park $1.150.

Eureka Boiler Works,

Boiler, setting, covering, breaching, complete, erected at the Park, $1.100

Making a total of $3,150.

Electric Lighting System.-

The series system, consisting of
2 - No 9 Wood Arc Dynamos capacity 60 lamps 2,000 candle power, at 400 revolutions per minute, equipped with [illegible] $3,250.
1 - Marble Switchboard - two dynamos, three circuits, one ammeter, wooden base, four lightning arresters, necessary fittings [illegible]

John A. Roeblings Sons Co;

Wire, as per their bid above described for the sum of

$4,740.

C. A. Wisner.

Wood Conduit 4"x4" made of 2x4" wood with groove 1½" diameter, price per running foot. 2¢

Dipping of the same $7.50 per thousand feet B. M., making for the running foot 1¢

Total per running foot 3¢

The patterns of lamp-posts submitted were not satisfactory & I we recommend deferring action on this matter until a better selection can be made.

We have also received action on the matter of lamps and find that the same can be obtained

Respectfully submitted

(Signed) Irving M. Scott

J. K. Wisner

Meeting | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 29/97, were present,

Comrs. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" Wm. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

Absent, following named not being present.

Minutes | The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants | 192 Labor warrants were examined and ordered paid. Amount for same being $11,797.50

Supt's Report | The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Re Statue | A communication was received from the "Call" relative to presenting to the City a Statue of [illegible]

Irrington— | After a general discussion the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren to select a spot in the Childrens' Play grounds for same, as that locality was best suited for it

Town Clerk's | The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read & approved and ordered filed

Market St. R.R. Co. to construct toilets. | A communication was received from the Market St. R.R. Co., relative to the constructing of Toilets in the Park, at the terminus of the McAllister, Geary and Sacramento St. cars. Said Company to build same at their own expense, the Park only to furnish water. Said request was granted, and the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren to select the proper location.

Vacancy | An application was received from J. M. Moltenbuhr asking for the position of Asst. Engineer of the Water Works. The Secretary was instructed to inform him that at present there was no vacancy

Request for loan of fish

A communication was received from the Mechanics Institute asking for the loan of some fish for the coming Exhibition. Said request was granted, and the same referred to Supt McLaren

Yearly Report

The yearly Report of the Commissioners was read and accepted by the Board.

Museum

Comr. Scott asked that 8 cases be made for the Museum, payment for same not to be made until funds are available, and on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Austin, the same was allowed

Fountain - Cogswell to be erected

A communication was received from several of the students of the Cogswell College asking that the Fountain donated many years ago to the Park by Dr. Cogswell be erected After a general discussion the Commissioners agreed that as the Statue was not made of bronze or marble but of some white metal not suitable for the Park not to grant the said request, and the Secretary was instructed to inform them of same.

Supt McLaren Leave of Absence

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott Supt. McLaren was granted leave of absence for 20 days

O. W. Block
Sec

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 27/97, were present;

(Comm. Jos. Austin (absent)
" J. Rosenfeld
" Wm Hall

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report The monthly report of the Supt. was read and approved and ordered filed.

Bills 184 Labor warrants amounting to $11.088.11 and
64 Material warrants (for 2 mos.) $14.910.21 making
a total of $25.998.32 were examined and ordered paid.

Insurance Co-operative As the insurance on the Conservatory will expire Sept. 1/97 the Commissioners decided to have the same renewed to the amount of $10.000 instead of $70,000.-

A communication was received from (illegible) asking loan to the Park of a little old mare to be his former Contract a account of the evidence to be hauled, and on motion of Comr Hall seconded Comr Rosenfeld the same was referred to Supt McLaren to confer with Mr McKnight as to the price he would deliver same at to designated places

Supt. McLaren having suggested that Mr. was added for the winter months, to wit [illegible] motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Hall instructed to purchase 150 tons of wheat Hay

A communication was received from the Mechanics' Institute asking for the loan of some fish for the coming Exhibition. Said request was granted, and the same referred to Supt. McLaren.

The yearly Repat of the Commissioners was read and accepted by the Board.

Comr Scott asked that 8 cases be made for the Museum, payment for same not to be made until funds are available, and on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Austin, the same was allowed.

A communication was received from several of the students of the Cogswell College asking that the Fountain donated many years ago to the Park by Dr. Cogswell be erected After a general discussion the Commissioners agreed that as the Statue was not made of bronze or marble but of some white metal not suitable for the Park not to grant the said request, and the Secretary was instructed to inform [illegible] of same.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott Supt McLaren was granted leave of absence for 30 days

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 27/97, were present;

Comr. Jos Austin (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld
" D. M. Voth.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly report of the Supt was read and approved and ordered filed

184 Labor warrants amounting to $11.088.11 and
64 Material warrants (for 2 mos.) " " $14.910.21 making
a total of $25.998.32 were examined and ordered paid.

As the insurance on the Conservatory will expire Sept. 1/97 the Commissioners decided to have the same renewed to the amount of $10.000 instead of $7.000

A communication was received from C. W. Spenna Loam to the Park at a little advance on his former Contract on account of the distance to be hauled and on motion of Comr Smith seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the same was referred to Supt. McLaren to confer with Mr McKnight as to the price he would deliver same at the designated places

Supt. McLaren having suggested that Hay was needed for the winter on the Island on motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Smith instructed to purchase 150 tons of wheat Hay where he can get it the best and cheapest

The bid of A. Wolf of $115.- per case for six for the Museum was accepted.

A communication was received from R. J. Hollads Private Secretary of Gov. Budd acknowledging the receipt of the Yearly Report of the Board.

A communication was received from the Letter Carriers Association asking for certain floral decorations to be made in Conservatory Valley. The same was referred to Supt. McLaren and the Secretary was instructed to notify them that owing to the shortness of time, the Commissioners would do the best they could

A communication was received from W. R. McFadden of Denver Colorado offering for sale a collection of stuffed animals

The Secretary was instructed to write to him stating that the Board could not purchase same owing to lack of accomodation in the Museum

Supt. McLaren was instructed to discharge about 25 men at the end of the month.

There being no further business the Board then adjourned.

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners held Sept. 5th/97, there were present

Comm. Jos. Auslin. (in the Chair)
" D. McScott.
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants. Warrants to the amount of $1913.18 were examined ordered paid. 159 Labor warrants amounting to $1408.80 and 55 material warrants amounting to $505.38

Supt's Report. The monthly Report of the Supt was read and approved and ordered filed.

Supt. limit monthly expenditure. On motion of Comm. Scott seconded by Comm Rosenfeld Supt. McLaren was instructed to limit the expenditures for the coming 5 months as follows, for the month of October about $3,000. and for Nov. Dec/97 and Jan/98 and Feb/98 about $4,000.-

Request to erect signboards. A communication was received from Comrade Leonhard asking that signs be put up at different places in the Park designating the location of the Casino. As it is contrary to the rules and similar requests have been refused and denied, the Commissioners did not grant same.

[illegible] was received from Jos. [illegible] and the Secretary was instructed to write to [illegible] stating that there was no vacancy at present

Water laying & hydrants. A communication was received from J. Sch. relative to the laying of the temporary mains on Stanyan St. under ground. The same was

Bids for printing Annual Report.

The following Bids were received for the printing of the Annual Repat.

Bid of Hinton Printing Co

San Francisco. Sept 9/97

Dear Sirs,

We will print 2600 copies of the Report of the Board of Park Commissioners for the Fiscal year 1896-97 (300 copies to be cloth bound) as per Sample Submitted for the sum of Three Hundred Dollars

Respy.
Hinton Ptg Co
W. M. Hinton Jr

Bid of Walter N. Brunt.

San Francisco Sept 9/97

Mr. Wm. McLaren
[illegible]

[illegible] furnish 2600 Copies Annual Reports 2250 Paper Cover and 350 Cloth Covers with Map & 16 inserts bound therein, same amount of printed matter as 24th Annual Report for $315.00 pages 223.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] & H. J. Crocker Co

[illegible] Sept 9/97

[illegible]
Gentlemen,

[illegible]

250 bound in paper cover, 350 copies, in cloth of [illegible] making 2600 copies, to conta. [illegible] addition to your copy sixteen colored inserts to be furnished by you, also one map, to be furnished by you for the sum of Three hundred and Fifteen ($315.00)

[illegible] with your esteemed order we are

Supt. McLaren who had been instructed to receive Bids for Wheat Hay submitted the following Bids, and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld he was instructed to purchase it where he can get the best and cheapest.

Bid of Titus & Crane

S.F. Sept. 31/97

Mr. John McLaren. Supt of Golden Gate Park.
Dear Sir,

Answer to your letter asking us for a price on 150 Tons of Get Edge Wheat Hay delivered at your Stables at Golden Gate Park we will say that we will deliver you according to the terms of your [illegible] one hundred tons wheat hay at your stables in the Park for seventeen dollars ($17.-) per ton and fifty tons delivered at the track in Seventeen dollars & a half ($17.50) per ton
Kindly give us a chance to bid on the Straw and Rolled Barley you use.

Very truly yours
Titus & Crane

Bid of R. P. Lathrop.

Hollister, Aug 31/97

R. P. Lathrop
Supt. Golden Gate Park
San Francisco Cal.

Dear Sir

I will sell you 150 tons hay free until June 1st 1898 to be paid for at time of purchase to be delivered at your order, your risk & free as follows.

150 tons choice wheat hay in S.F. $16.-
150 " " wheat & oat hay " " $15.

Deduct $1.75 a ton for freight from Hollister to San Francisco.
Hay guaranteed to be strictly choice

Yours Truly R. P. Lathrop Mgr

In case the hay is to be shipped material I can be paid in bulk

Bid of Somers & Co.

San Francisco, Sept. 3. 1897.

To the Commissioners of Golden Gate Park.
City

Gentlemen —

In accordance with your circular issued the 2nd inst. asking for prices on hay, we beg to submit herewith our lowest figure in the matter. We will furnish you with number one wheat and oat hay for $16.- per ton delivered at your Stables.- fifty tons at the Beach and 100 tons at the Stables one hundred and fifty 150 tons in all.

Respectfully submitted.
Somers & Co

Bid of Scott & McCord.

Wm. J. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
City.

Dear Sir.

"In answer to your inquiry to supply the Golden Gate Park 150 Tons of wheat Hay.- We will furnish delivered at the Stables of the Golden Gate Park One Hundred and Fifty (150) Tons of gilt edge Wheat Hay during the month of September at the rate of $15.20cts pr. Ton

Truly
Scott & McCord.

Use of Bicycle Road

Communication was received from the California Cycling Club relative to the use by pedestrians of the Bicycle Road from the Cycle Rest to the Presidio. Same was referred to Supt McLaren.

Exchange

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the following dismissals were agreed upon on account of the reduction in

the appropriation.
5 men from the Police Force.
1 man from the Stable
5 " " " Museum
"4 about 20 from the general force. Commissioners Austin, Rosenfeld and Scott voting in the affirmative it was unanimously carried

Bids for loam

The following Bids were received for Loam.
O. McHugh. 10,000 cu. yds. delivered at West End of Park near Watering tank for the sum of .90¢ pr. cu. yd.
Warren and Malley. 10,000 cu. yds delivered at West End of Park near Watering tank for $1.40 pr. cu. yd.

The bid of O. McHugh being the lowest the Contract was awarded to him

The Board then adjourned

Special Meeting. At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 16/97 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Jn. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Warrant for [illegible] a warrant for the amount of $1850.- being one-half of Contract for Boilers for Electric Plant was allowed to the Eureka Boiler Works

[illegible] A communication was received from C. A Hooper & Co., stating that they would hold the material [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Oct. 16. 1897

[illegible]

appreciate these beautiful works of Art, & have had them placed in the most prominent spot in the Museum where they are sure to be greatly admired. Again thanking you

I Remain

Yours [illegible]

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[illegible] 1891

Mrs. E [illegible]

[illegible]

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Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 29/97 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" S. M. Scott
" [illegible] (abs.)

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $ 2396.32 were read and ordered paid

132 Sale warrants amounting to $ 951.10 Aug
30 Material warrants amounting to 14.983.22.

The bill of Supt. McLaren was read and ordered paid.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to secure bids for water-pipe to be used in the new meadow. Comr. st required about 2,000 ft. of 2" galvanized standard screw pipe 2,000 ft. of 1½" galvanized standard screw pipe, and 500 ft. of 4" Black pipe and to purchase same from [illegible]

[illegible] of Comr. Scott was accepted by Comr. Austin on behalf of the Board for the Monument selected by the Committee and Supt. McLaren was confirmed. The Secretary was instructed to notify Com[illegible]

[illegible] was instructed by Supt. McLaren of the Board to get [illegible] Supt. McLaren of Cut [illegible] for about 200 Lbs. of rock from our Quarry [illegible]

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Nov 2/97 were present.

Comr. Wm. Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
"

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Supt. McLaren submitted the following bids for Pipe.

Bid of N. F. Garratt & Co

S.F. Nov. 2/97

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
Park Lodge, City.

Gentlemen.

In response to your request for bids on pipe we submit the following prices.

2000 ft. 2" Galvanized pipe at 17½ cents per foot
2000 " 1½" " " " 13 "
500 " 4" Black pipe " 32 "

We, if you will increase the quantity to three hundred feet we will furnish at the following prices.

2" Galvanized pipe at 16½ cents per foot
1½" " " "
4" Black pipe " 30 " " "

Hoping to be favored with your order, we are

Yours truly,

N. F. Garratt & Co
by A. L. Taylor
Sec'y.

Bid of Hunter, Corrigan Hayden Co

S.F. Nov. 2/97

Wm Laren. Supt G.P. Park
Dear Sir

In response of Col. Bell's

to quote you on a lot of 5000 feet of Assorted Pipe as follows:--

[illegible] 16c ft.

1½ " 13c "

1 Nipple 30c " (in our Warehouse, S.F.)

Lots less than 5000 ft. as follows

¾" gal. 1¼ -- 1¼ gal 13 -- 4" black 5½ per ft

[illegible] 27½

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

¾" galvanized standard pipe @ 13c ft. 64

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

only amount to about 11000 ft. whereas if your increase your order to 5000 ft. assorted sizes you can take advantage of the lower price for lots of 5000 ft. and over. All prices are subject to change without notice

Hoping to be favored with your order, we are

Yours truly,

Hallwell, Merrill & Stetson

per Cyrus

Ed. C. Phelps and Arnold.

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J. McLaren, Supt.

Golden Gate Park

City

Dear Sir

Replying to your inquiry of 6th inst we beg to offer you 2,250 ft. 3" galvanized standard screw pipe @ 16½ p.h.

2,500 " 1½" " " " .12c.

500 " 1" black " " " 3c a

in all 5000 ft, to be taken from our store, 60 days, 2% for cash. We thank you for the inquiry and shall be pleased to receive your order

Yours Respectfully

[illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. J. McLaren Supt City

Golden Gate Park City,

Dear Sir,

In answer to your inquiry of 6th inst we are pleased to quote you the following prices on 5000 feet lots of assorted

[illegible]

1½ " [illegible]

1" black 3c a "

Terms 60 days or two percent if cash.

Trusting that these prices will be satisfactory and that we may be favored with your order we

[illegible]

Supt's report

The action of Supt McLaren in disposing of the following 9 horses was approved by the Board.

Office of Sullivan & Doyle
Sales for account of Commissioners of Golden Gate Park by Sullivan & Doyle. Saturday Nov. 6. 1897.

No. 1	Grey Mare.	$20.
2.	Grey Horse	15.
3.	Bay saddle H.	31.
4.	Grey Horse	35.
5.	Bay M	25.
6.	Blo. Horse	37.50
7.	Blo Mare.	13.
8	Bay Horse	21
9.	Bay Horse	35.
		$232.50

To Commission 5% $11.60
Advertising 15. $26.60
Net proceeds per check $205.90

Purchase of pipe.

The action of Supt McLaren in purchasing the pipe was approved.

N. E. Huntington donates money for Bridge

A communication was received from N. E. Huntington offering to donate $4000.- for a Bridge to be constructed at the south west corner of the Park, and it was on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott accepted provided that the Supt. be able to build the Bridge for that amount.

Supt. McLaren presented two plans of Bridges the cost of [illegible] will not exceed $4000. [illegible] with facings of Rock or imitation Rock. In case he may not get enough natural Rock he is authorized to finish same in artificial rock so as to imitate the natural.

The Secretary was instructed to send the following answer to Mr. Huntington's proposition

Park Office. Nov. 13/97.

Mr. H. E. Huntington

Dear Sir,

The Board of Commissioners of Golden Gate Park recieved your communication of Nov. 8/97 wherein you express yourself ready to expend $4000.- heretofore spoken of for the Bridge at the Southwest corner of the Park. The Commissioners understand this to be a Bridge under the Carrile track, and to be located inside the present [illegible] to proceed with the work, and will draw upon you as the work advances. We request a drawing showing the curves etc and where you desire to locate the Bridge in order to enable us to proceed with this work and to place the said drawing on file

Very Respectfully,

W. Hamann

Sec. Bd of Park Commrs.

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Mon. 16/97 were present;

Comr Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" D. M. Scott.
" [illegible]

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Bills to the amount of $ 12,307.35 were examined and ordered paid

193	Labor warrants amounting to	$7336.20
45	Material	4971.15

Monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed

The monthly Report of Capt Thomson was read and ordered filed

A Bill was received from Wm. Banks for $250.- being for plans and diagrams drawn for an Agricultural Building to have been erected in the Park. The same was ordered filed, and the Supt. instructed to get the opinion of the Attorney of the Board as to the legality of the paying of the same as the work was unauthorized by the Board

A communication was received from J. L. Firmin relative to getting information upon the water supply etc. of the Park. Same was referred to Supt. McLaren

The Board then adjourned.
[illegible] Clerk Secty

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Dec. 29/97 were present;

Comr. J. Austin (in the chair.)
" D.H. Scott
" John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt. Report

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved & ordered filed.

Police Reports

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Warrants

Bills to the amount of $ 14,385.48 were examined and ordered paid

1st Labor warrants amounting to	$ 6,908.20
45 Material	7477.28

On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was in accordance with the wishes of the Board agreed to allow Wm C Banks $250.- being for services rendered in drawing plans for an Exhibition Building at the suggestion of the late Comr. Stow.

Collection of skulls.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld Mr. D Jung was allowed $250. for the collection of skulls now in place in the Museum.

Museum Catalogues

A communication was received from Wiggell & Rollins relative to printing the Museum Catalogues. Said communication was read and ordered filed.

Mr. Park Band

A communication was received from Geo L Hellwig Manager of the Park Band asking for permission to allow the Band to use the name of the Golden Gate Park, wear their uniforms and the use of the

Park music during the coming Jubilee. Said request was granted.

Request for employment

A petition was received from J. L. Howell asking to be re-instated as Policeman in the Park. The Secretary was instructed to write to him stating that on account of the cut in the appropriation it was necessary to reduce the force, and it would be impossible to give him work.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, the Commissioners agreed to loan an Elk to the Society of Elks.

The claim of the Southern Pacific Co. of $74.- for freight and $49.- for general average or "Antiquities" from Hamburg to New Orleans was referred to Supt. McLaren to look into the matter and report

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan 5 98 were present:

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the chair)
" J Rosenfield.
" D. M. Scott. (abs.)

The following [illegible]

The minutes of the [illegible] were read and approved

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Manager of P.R.Co that the Bridge is now completed and ready for them to do the grading, and also to call their attention to the damage done by fire caused from the sparks of the P.T.O. & P.R. also, that, especially on Sundays

The claim of the S.P.R.R Co for $223.13 was allowed being for freight on Antiquities from Hamburg to New Orleans [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Jan. 28/98, were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" Jno. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld (abs)

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Vouchers to the amount of $16,343.62 were examined and ordered paid

123 Labor warrants amounting to	$7,151.35
49 Material "	9,192.27
	$16,343.62

A petition was received from the property owners in the vicinity of 24th Ave. asking for a Driveway to be constructed into the Park westerly to the Main Drive from 24th Ave. and Fulton St

Supt. was instructed to notify them that as soon as the road was cleared of sand along St Peters Rd. to "E" St. the Commissioners would then have the said Driveway constructed.

Vouchers to the amount of $ were examined and ordered paid

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 2nd/98. were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the chair.)
" D.M. Scott
" J. Rosenfeld. (alt.)

The following business was transacted.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ 12,527.57 were examined and ordered paid

178 Labor warrants amounting to	$ 7,023.75
40 Material "	5503.82
	$12,527.57

Supts' report

The monthly Report of Supt McSorley was received approved and ordered filed.

Gardener's report

The monthly Report of Capt Thomson was read and ordered filed

Leases

The following Offers for leases were received

1 Cow Pasturing from bathing beach westward to Stoney Hill per head Eighty (80) Cents

Hay hauling outside the Iron Gates to Stoney Hill per load One (1) Dollar

O. McHugh loan allowed East of Stanbury Hill Sixty-five cents per

Leave of Absence

Communication was received from the Secretary asking for a renewal of his leave of absence for Quarter which expires on April 1st. the same was ordered filed.

Resignation

The resignation of Officer Campbell was received

Employing Expert Accountant.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the Supt. was instructed to employ Mr. Folger to make a complete and thorough Report of the finances and condition of the Park. Also to take an Inventory of all tools, wagons, implements and everything in the Lodge, Museum, Coal House, Citizens Quarters, Stables, etc

The Board then adjourned

A. A. Wood
Secty.

Special meeting.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Mar. 21/98 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Geo. A. Knight.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the following Resolution was carried unanimously "That Geo. A. Knight, Attorney for Golden Gate Park Commissioners is hereby authorized to appear for said Commissioners in the Superior Court Dept. no. 9. in and for the City and County of San Francisco in the matter of the Estate of Jose V. de Laveaga and represent said Commissioners and Golden Gate Park in all matters &c.....

The Board then adjourned.

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held March 26/98. were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" J. M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supts. Report. The monthly Repat of Supt. M. Laren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants. Warrants to the amount of $ 16023.80 were examined and ordered paid

198 Labor warrants amounting to $ 11,192.70
#9 Material " " 4831.10
$ 16,023.80

Bids for. The following Bids for Pipe were received and the Supt instructed to purchase same where he can get the best and Cheapest.

3rd " Bid of Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.

S.F. Mar. 8/98

Mr. J. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park. S.F.

Dear Sir;

Referring to your inquiry of even date regarding Galvanized Pipe and Reducers would say that we find there is no 5" galvanized pipe in this market and the lengths of Black pipe do not run long enough to permit cutting without making a great deal of waste which of course would bring our figures entirely too high. so we have concluded the best way would be to quote you on the entire order from the East. as follows.

40 pieces 5" galv. pipe 12' threaded one end @ $9.07 per pce
40 " 4" " " 10' " both ends 5.03 " "
40 " 3" " " 10 " " " 3.10 "
40 cast Iron galvanized reducers 5x4"----- " 1.70 ea.
40 " " " " 4x3"----- 800 "

Above prices are for delivery at our store San Francisco. Hoping this latter proposition will meet with your approval, we remain,

Yours very truly,

p. M. S. Coleman. Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co

Bid of Dunham, Carrigan and Hayden Co
S.F. Mar. 8/98

Mr. J. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park, S.F.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your enquiry of even date regarding galvanized pipe and Reducers would say that we find there is no 5" galvanized pipe in the market and the lengths of such pipe do not run long enough to finish cutting without making a great deal of waste which of course would bring our figures entirely too high, so we have concluded the best way would be to quote you on the entire order from the East as follows,-

40pcs. 5" galvanized pipe 12' threaded one end @ 9.07 pr. pce
40 " 4" " " 10' " both ends 5.03 " "
40 " 3" " " 10' " " " "
40 cast Iron galv. Reducers 5x4"------ 1.70 ea
40 " " " 4x3"------- 809 "

Above prices are for delivery at our store S.F.
Hoping this latter proposition will meet with your approval,

We remain,

Yours very truly,

p. M. S. Coleman. Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co

Bid of Halbrook, Merrill & Stetson.

S.F. Mar. 7/98

To the Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park
San Francisco.

Gentlemen;

In compliance with your request we are pleased to quote you the following prices,-
40 pieces 5" galvanized pipe 12 ft long thread on end. $13.15 each
40 " 4" " " 10ft. " " both ends. 4.75 "
40 " 3" " " 10 " " " " 5.20 "
40 5x4" galv. reducers @ $2.25 ea.
40 4x3" " " " 1.85 "
All prices are subject to change without notice.
Hoping to be favored with your order, we are,
Yours truly
Halbrook, Merrill & Stetson
per. Ayer.

Bid of Miller, Sloss & Scott.

S.F. Mar. 5/98

Golden Gate Park Comrs.
San Francisco Cal

Gentlemen;

We are pleased to quote you on the following;-
40 pieces galv. pipe 5" each 12ft. cut from average length of 20ft. leaving waste of about 6ft. each
" 7c. p. ft.
40 pieces galv. pipe 4" each 10ft. cut from average length of 20ft. equal 40 pieces leaving little if any waste at .45 pr. ft.
40 pieces galv. pipe 3" each 10ft. cut from average length of 20ft. equal 40 pieces leaving little if any waste at .30 pr. ft.
Cutting & threading 5" @ 55¢ pr. cut less 20% trade
" " " 4" @ 35¢ " " " " "
" " " 3" @ 20¢ " " " " "
40 galv. Reducers 5 to 4 @ $1.- each
40 " " 4 & 3 @ .47½ " Delivered at

"our warehouse. . . . .
Terms 60 days or 2% disct for cash
Trusting to be favored with the above order, we remain
Very Respectfully Yours
Dunham, Carrigan & Co H
Jr. Milton Pray.

1st Sict of Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co
San Francisco February 19th 1898

Mr. John McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
City.

Dear Sir

By request our Mr Plummer the under takes pleasure in making you the following prices, on Pipe and thread cutting.

		Less than 5000' lots	5000' lots
Black	3"	20c	19c
"	4"	28c	26½c
"	5"	48c	43c
Galvanized	3"	30c	28c
	4"	47c	41c
	5"	75c	65c

At the present time there is no 5 inch Galvanized Pipe in this market and for that reason we filled your order with Black.
On Pipe threading, we quote you
3 in 1½c per thread
4 in. 2c "
5 in 4½c "
Trusting the above will be satisfactory, we remain,
Yours very truly,
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.
per H. H. [illegible]

The bids of Miller Pipe & Steel being the lowest the Supt. was instructed to purchase same [illegible]

S.F.O.R.R. Lynch.

Messrs. Lynch and Stein appeared for the Market St. R.R.Co. relative to the moving of the Building of the P.&O.R.R Depot along the route to be used for as Waiting Rooms. The Depot building to be cut into three pieces, each section to be completed and moved to their respective location at the expense of the R.R.Co and by them presented to the G.G. Park

A communication was received from Prof. Jordan asking for on behalf of Capt. Collins of the U.S. Fish Commission for the loan of the series of California Fishes now in exhibition at the Museum for the coming Exhibit of the International Fisheries Exposition to be held this summer in Norway.
Said request was granted

A communication was received from the Street Committee of the Board of Supervisors relative to allowing the Trolley and Electric Poles now standing on Oak Fillmore and Stanyan Streets to be erected within the limits of Golden Gate Park.
The same was referred to Supt. McLaren to Consult with the Attorney of the Board relative to the rights and power of the Commission in regards to same.

The lease of the Childrens Quarters expiring on April 1st the same was renewed to Geo W. Murphy for 3 years at a rental of $1000.— per. annum in accordance with the ter ms of the written lease as signed by the Commissioners
The painting of the Observatory on Strawberry Hill was referred to Supt. McLaren for to paint and put same in good condition

A communication was received from Mr. Boomer asking for an opening to be made into the Park at Lyon & Oak Sts
Said request was denied there being a foot-path leading [illegible]

Bids for Lamps.

The Report of Lamps was referred to Comr. Scott and Supt. McLaren with full power to act in the matter.

The following Bids for Lamps were received.

Bid of Ft. Wayne Electric Corporation

S.F. March 25/98

Board of Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park
S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen,

In compliance with your request and in accordance with our proposition of the 21st inst we beg leave to propose supplying you with 35 - Wood, Standard double carbon 2000 c.p. series arc lamps, either rack or clutch feed, as you may select, for the sum of $630.- delivered, and for each additional lot of 1 to 10 lamps $18. each. These lamps are guaranteed against any defect of workmanship & material for one year from date of purchase, and any such defect developing will be remedied at our expense.

Trusting that we may be favored with your valued Contract we are,

Yours very truly,
Ft. Wayne Electric Corporation
Pacific Coast Agency
Chas. F. Eggert
Pr. Contract

S.F. Apr. 5/98

J. McLaren Esq. Supt G.G. Park S.F. Cal.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your verbal request that I state the cost of furnishing 35 Lamps complete including 4 pair arresters and globes, also 4 Lamp Coupling to attach lamp to pole furnished by Commissioners. Trusting that this will

prove satisfactory, and awaiting your further commands, we are,

Yours very truly,
H. Wayd Electric Corporation
Pacific Coast Agency
Chas. R. Lloyd Agent.
Per. Cartwright.

Bid of H. W. Co., Carrigan and Hayden Co.

S.F. March 17/98

Mr. Jno. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
City.

Dear Sir,

Referring to our conversation by 'phone yesterday we beg to say that we will furnish you with 60 Upton Arc Lamps of the Open arc Type, with Spark Arrester (which will prolong the life of the Carbons from 4 to 6 hours) complete with globe for $75. each

We have made you prices before on the enclosed lamp, and at present cannot give you any further information regarding the same.

Trusting you will favor us with your orders,

We remain

Yours very truly,
H. W. Carrigan & Hayden Co
Per. J.C. Woodward.

S.F. March 24.
98

Mr. Jno. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
City.

Dear Sir,

Referring to our conversation regarding the Arc Lamps for the Park beg to say that we cannot make any change in the prices named in our letter, which is $75. each for Lamps complete with globe

are equipped with a Globe Cover a Spark arrester by which drafts of air are excluded from the Arc, thereby prolonging the life of the Carbon four to six hours, and make the Lamp give a life equal to that of the double Carbon Arc Lamp. You will also note that the prices includes the Lamps complete with Globes and Spark Arrester ready to place in circuit. We are confident that the showing this Lamp made will compare favorably with others as shown in the recent tests. Regarding the Enclosed Arc we do not think it would be possible for us to furnish those within the time you require them, as the factory have made but few, if any, of these for the 9 ampere current, and they would undoubtedly be delayed in furnishing the number you require in the time you would be obliged to have them. We trust however that you will favor us with the order for the Open Arc Lamps

Yours very truly,
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden
per C. Woodward.

Bid of General Electric Co.

S.F. Office # 15 First St.
Mar. 25/95

Honorable Board of Park Commissioners
G. G. Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen,

I beg to quote you on Arc Lamps such as you have operated and tested at your Power-Station as follows;-

140 Thomson Double Carbon Arc Lamps, complete with Clear or opal globes, as you may desire $12.75 each
140 — #1088 Hoods complete with Lead board and Cross bar (as shown in cut on page 495 of our Catalogue accompanying this letter $3.- each.

Trusting that the test which you have made has been entirely satisfactory to you, and that we may be favored with your valuable

Order

I am.
Yours very truly,
V Vowden.
Supply Dept

Bid of California Electrical Works

S.F. March 26. 1898.

Hon. Board of Park Commissioners.
City

Gentlemen.

We herewith submit you a sketch of an arrangement for placing lamp on top of pole without a hood and wish to state that this arrangement would cost you the sum of $6.- pr. lamp. We think this is the only proper and substantial of supporting the lamp. We can however support the lamp without the above arrangement, and the cost would be the same to you, namely $6.- per lamp. But in supporting the lamp on top of pole without any outside frame or fixture it would be impossible to remove globe for cleaning, or if globe should break you would be obliged to take the lamp down to replace same, therefore we could not recommend setting the lamp directly on top of the pole by fastening the bottom of lamp to the top of pole

We can also furnish another arrangement for supporting the lamp with three rods in place of two, but we think this would not be very satisfactory. The arrangement which we show in sketch would hold the lamp perfectly solid, so that it would not swing in any way, and the wind would have no effect. It will allow globe to be raised or lowered, and taken off for cleaning or replacing same with new one.

We also furnish sketch showing that there would be no shadow from the rays of the

lamp by using the outside supporting frame.
Of course, you understand that the side rods either inside or outside will cause a slight shadow, unless you use the radiator in place of the globe.
Hoping this will be satisfactory, we remain,

Yours Respectfully
California Electrical Works
Per. A. J. Myers

S.F. Mar. 25, 15

To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners.
City.

Gentlemen:

We take pleasure in submitting you herewith our proposition upon arc lamps as follows,-
We will furnish Western Electric Co's Double carbon clutch feed arc lamps, delivered at Park Power House, for the sum of $21.50 each.
Clear glass globes for the above lamps at $.75 each.
Shadowless arc light radiators for the above lamps at $1.80 each.
We wish to state that the above lamps are of the weather proof type and can be used out doors without a hood or without any protection from weather whatever.
We have about 100 of these lamps in use for lighting Pasadena, about 40 for Santa Ana, 150 with the West Side Ltg Co. of Los Angeles, about 200 with the Los Angeles Electric St. Co of Los Angeles, and about 30 at Redding Cal., and we would be pleased to have you communicate with any of these parties as regards the satisfaction the lamps are giving.
We would also refer you to the inside men of this City who have discontinued the use of their Inst. lamps and have put in Western Electric lamps in their place.
Hoping that we may receive your favorable consideration, We remain,

Yours respectfully Cal. Electrical Works
Per. A. J. Meyers.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 21/98 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the chair)
" J Rosenfeld
" J.M. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

A communication was received from R. V. Watt on behalf of the Epworth League asking for an Extra Concert to be held on Saturday Apr. 25/98 The same was referred to Supt. McLaren to consult with Mr. E.P. Nining relative to same as the Commissioners favor granting the said Request, with power to act.

ting | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 27/98 were present

Comr. Jos. Austin (absent at roll call)
" Fred Reichfield
" Wm Scott

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Rosenfield to preside | On motion of Comr. Rosenfield Comr. Scott took the Chair.

Supt's Rpt. | The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Engr's Rpt. | The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed

To Pay | Warrants to the amount of $ 19.99 were examined and ordered paid

109 Labor warrants amounting to	$11,684.10
57 Material warrants " "	8 238.80
	$19,922.90

Insurance Boat & Houses | The Insurance on Boat House expiring this day Supt. McLaren was instructed to insure same with the Same Company.

The following Bids were received for Hose and Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase same where he can get it best and cheapest

Bid of [illegible] Belting and Packing Co.
N.Y. City 4/27/98

Mr. John [illegible]
Near St

on Water hose, and hope to receive your valued order.

"1846" Para	1" 3 ply	23¢ per ft. net.
	1¼" 3 "	28½ " " "
	1" 4 "	25½ " " "
	1¼" 4 "	36¢ " "
"Double Diamond"	1" 3 ply	17¢ per ft net
	1¼" 3 "	21¢ " " "
	1" 4 "	21¢ " " "
	1¼" 4 "	26½ " " "
"Cartoni"	1" 3 ply	15¢ " " "
	1¼" 3 "	15¢ " " "
	1" 4 "	15¢ " " "
	1¼" 4 "	15½ " " "
"Spider"	1" 3 "	9¢ " "

Please note that the "1846 Para" is not carried on stock here in San Francisco We have never felt justified in carrying a stock of it, as its superior quality and bearing high price debars many consumers who are not willing to pay the price for the finest goods that can possibly be produced.

Should you select any of the "1846 Para" we would ask that you allow us 30 days in which to make delivery but we promise you fresh stock direct from the factory should your order include to mak

Kindly consider samples which you have at hand and advise us if you award us the contract.

Awaiting your Commands, we remain

Yours truly,

San Francisco Rubber Manufacturing Co

By

Bid of Bowers Rubber Co

Feb 6/98

Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen;

[illegible]

	[illegible]	[illegible]
1" [illegible]	.19	.6
1½" "	.23	.6
1½" "	.29	.6

Live Oak Brand is [illegible] and [illegible] furnished to [illegible] and [illegible] to Special order at the Cotton Mills in East Oakland, all the rubber used is class in the San Francisco factories. Cotton goods are also [illegible] by San Francisco firms, [illegible] and [illegible] as good a quality, and believe that our price is lower than that of Eastern manufacturers for the same grade of goods. Hoping to be favored with your order,

We remain

Yours truly,

[illegible]

A communication was received from Mrs. E. Merritt, offering to sell the Electric Tower now at Sutro Heights.

The Secretary was instructed to answer her that the Commissioners cannot make any use of the Tower for lighting purposes, it simply being an Ornament.

A communication was received from Mr. L. J. Ohmmins, Lessee of the Boat House asking for a reduction in his rent on account of the stoppage of the Park and Ocean Rail Road Co. which is the principal route to the place. On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was agreed to allow him free rental for the month of April 1898.

The following bid for Cases for the Museum was received from A. Wolf.

Apr. 22/98

Board of Park Commissioners.

I agree to make after designs and Specifications two (2) Ebonized Counters with glass cases like the same in [illegible] East Hall stained, not painted in first class workmanship all glass to be the best French plate Completed with invisible locks in Park Museum each for the sum of $115.

" " two (2) " " " " 110

" " one (1) Extra Case with Stud up frame and Mantel. Duplex pattern for the sum of 185.

[illegible]

A communication was received from Chas Farrington Pres. of the Board of Education asking for plants for the School Dept. The same was referred to Supt. of Lands

to comply with his request as far as Just

Loan of Paintings

Relative to the Loan of 29 Oil Paintings of the "Missions of California" to the Museum by Mrs. Ford, Supt. McLaren was instructed to see that they be neatly framed.

Increase Salary of

On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Scott, Supt. McLaren was instructed not to employ an extra Engineer for the Electric lighting of the Park but that the Engineer now employed be allowed $25. per month additional in consideration that he fulfills all the duties required by the addition of the Electric lighting of the Park and that his wages be increased from April 1st $75

Re. Trolley Electric Poles

Supt. McLaren to whom had been referred the matter Relative to allowing the Electric and Trolley Poles to be erected with the limits of Golden Gate Park along Stanyan Street reported that he had consulted the Attorney of the Board who had advised against granting the said permission.

Re. Electric Lights

Committee on Electric lighting reports as follows. After giving the twelve different style of Arc lamps submitted a thorough test and after consulting with Engineer Harrison the Contract for supplying the 40 arc lamps required was awarded to the F. Wayne Electric Co. at the price being $18. a piece.

Bridge

Committee on Boulevard Bridge consisting of Comr. Scott and Supt McLaren, report that the money for building said Bridge furnished by the Southern Pacific Co. has been expended in accordance with vouchers filed in this Office

Committee on removing Depot Building of the S. P. C. R. R. Co consisting of Comr Scott and Supt. McLaren report that the Depot Building has been removed and cut into 6 Stations instead of 3 as formerly suggested and that they have been united at the following points along the Beach

1 at 11th Ave & "H" St.— 1 at "33rd" Ave.— 1 at 41st. Ave.— 1 near Bridge at Boulevard & 1 opposite Beach Chalet. And that the Market St. R.R.Co. are now fitting them up at their own expense for the use of patrons of the Rd. & visitors to the Park. Your committee beg leave to further repat that with the completion of converting this Road into an Electric Road they have succeeded in removing the tracks clear of the Boulevard which has been a source of annoyance & obstruction for so many years. Also moving their tracks & buildings & all occupation from Park grounds at the SE corner of the Park thus cancelling & surrendering all rights obtained from the Bd of Park Comrs. & also Bd. of Supervisors Order 1736 Bd. of Supervisors passed Oct. 18. 1883 & which is in violation of agreement of Park Comrs. dated Oct. 19. 1883 & in addition furnishing the money to build the Bridge & Archway at the SW cr. of Park & that the Secretary communicate to the R.R.Co the thanks of the Board for the work done.

Comr. Scott & Supt. McLaren beg leave to report that they recommend the following work for the coming fiscal year

1. Extension of Electric Light System at west end of Park as originally contemplated when funds will justify them & the addition of a small incandescent Dynamo for the Museum, Park Lodge, Stables & such other buildings connected with the Park as require light. Also recommend that the contemplated chain of Lakes now in course of construction be completed & that an old fashioned Dutch wind Mill with stone Tower be erected for the purpose of pumping water to a Reservoir for the purpose of irrigation. Also recommend a careful examination and inquiry of the present Water supply with the view of increasing the capacity in the future to meet the constantly increasing area of grounds requiring irrigation.

Also the early completion of a substantial Granite Music Stand proportionate to the proportions made in Concert Valley combining with same a fire-proof room for containing & storing Park Music this being the unfinished part of the scheme viz Music Stand Concert Valley, Bicycle & Drive & Stone Bridge with its access to

the street cars at "9th" Ave and "20" St. as originally contemplated and partially finished.

Also the completion of the Road connecting "1st" Ave with the North Ridge Road

Also the early alteration of the Roof of the Museum Building by removing two-thirds of the glass of the old skylights and replacing it with a substantial roof at the same time substantially closing the openings that now exist admitting water and dust and also by a thorough system of ventilation

Report The Supt. of the Park makes the following Report on the Museum, that the Report of the Curator of the Museum with the Catalogue & plans of the different rooms be printed in pamphlet form. Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive bids for printing same with power to award & contract to lowest bidder

change Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase "Bay Horse" for the sum of $250.- Such horse having been examined by the Veterinary Surgeon and two members of the Board and pronounced sound

Secty was instructed that as soon as informed of the New Commission to invite them to meet the old Commission at a meeting to be called subs

(Mr. D. Folger
Expert)

Mr. D. Folger who was appointed Expert to examine the books and accounts of the Park Com. ... submitted the following report and on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was moved and passed that it be spread upon the minutes.

Report to "The Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners on the facts and figures found on books of accounts kept at the Office of Golden Gate Park San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

"In my last report to you I brought ... down to Dec. 31. 1896

"In this report, I ... with entries made January 1. 1897 and followed the work down to April 1. 1898. a period of 15 months. I have been over the work very carefully and thoroughly. All ... for material are copied into a book called Construction and Maintenance by Material I checked each bill from bill-book into the book where segregation of amounts is made, charging each account with amount expended for its benefit

"I went over the time ... and checked each ... with ... of time employed for ... and ... Time ... against ... and ... charging ... with pay.

"Hand you with this report an account showing the amount expended on "Water Works" showing what it has cost to irrigate lawns, walks and roads for 15 months. and during one of the driest "Rainy" known in San Francisco.

"I also show what it has cost to run the Stable ... I would have obtained a statement of time ... of horses kept and ... with Daniels ... you with ... of each horse.

"... cost of labor in Construction and ...

Material used in Construction and Maintenance from
Jany 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898 and gave you the grand
total of $ 27,466.18 as the entire cost of running
Golden Gate Park from Jany 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898
Hand you inventories of 22 stations at Golden Gate
Park showing tools and material at hand at
each place. Went to each camp and had
lists verified.
June 1890, I was appointed by the Grand Jury
of San Francisco to examine books of Golden
Gate Park no one had before that time made
examination I found the books at that time
[illegible] correct. Since then I have examined
and reported on the books a number of times
I have yet to find the first er
Miss [illegible] the thoroughly efficient
Secretary, is very conscientious about her work
and nothing in her department is neglected
Mr. J. McLaren Superintendent has been so
fully occupied that it has been impossible
for him to give me much information. He
has done the best he could.
[illegible]
to your successors a clear report of a
intelligible one of the department as a
whole making [illegible] other systematic
[illegible] efficiency of the park
management
[illegible]
April 2 - 1898

Amount expended at Golden State Park, for Material for Maintenance and Construction of Water Works.

Maintenance

1897			
Jany	No material used.	$185.40	
Feby	" . . .	135.90	
Mar.	. . .	7.	
Apl.	. .	57.53	
May	. . .	558.06	
June and July	. . .	492.80	
Aug	. . "	278.37	
Sept.	. . "	1153.83	
Oct.	. . "	287.39	
Nov.	. . .	118.74	
Dec.	.	113.06	
1898			
Jany	. . .	131.08	
Feb.	" " "	158.66	
Mar.	" " .	632.97	$3,642.79

Construction

1897			
Mar.	No material used.	$ 761.91	
Apr.		41.84	
May		241.66	
June and July		133.10	
Nov.		582.90	
Dec. 1898 and Jany 1897		47.01	
Aug		16.79	
		84.17	1,908.88
			$3557.67

Amount expended on Water Works from Jany. 1. 1897 to Apr. 1. 1898

for Labor in Construction	$1.332.55
" " " Maintenance	4.577.75
" Material	5,551.67
Total	$11,461.97

Taking $11,461.97 as the total cost of Material and Labor used in Construction and Maintenance and we have a total length of 15 miles which amount [illegible] Sprinkling roads and repairs on [illegible] Labor and maintenance of

Golden Gate Park roads by sprinkling, sprinkling and repairing Point Lobos and Buena Vista Park roads are included.

D. M. Folger
Accountant.

Amount expended at Golden Gate Park for Material and Labor at Stables.

Material.

Maintenance.

July	In material amt. expended	$595.76	
Aug	" " "	456.47	
Sept	" " "	440.17	
Oct	" " "	607.	
Nov	" " "	421.	
Dec	" " "	214.75	
Jan	" " "	530.20	
Feby	" " "	1,165.60	
March	" " "	1,903.62	
April	" " "	20	
May	" " "		
June	" " "	2360.00	
July	" " "	15.95	
Aug	" " "	411.55	$7,718.43

Labor

Sept	In Labor	390	
Oct		603	
Nov		600.25	
Dec		282.65	
Jan		511	
Feb		299	
March		607	
April		605	
May		1580.50	
June		201.	
July		191.18	
Aug		227	
Sept		2430	
Oct		111	

Disbursements at Golden Gate Park for Labor in Constructing and Maintaining the various departments as classified below from Jan. 1. 1897 to Apr. 1. 1898

Labor

Construction

Structures a/c	$1,243.75
Water Works "	1,337.55
Drainage "	319.90
Roads and walks a/c	7,476.65
Grounds a/c	4,905.25
Trees Plantations a/c	3,062.75
Electric Plant "	1,349.55
Sundries "	1,096.40
Stock and Implements a/c	198.
Small Works a/c	1,114.95
Division	1445.65
Surveying lines	3008.50
	$26,653.40

Maintenance

Structures a/c	$3,053.28
Water Works "	4577.75
Grounds "	41.900.
Trees, Plantations &c.	1991.50
Conservatory	4457.65
Stock and Implements.	5246.13
Refectory a/c	18,835.88
Nursery a/c	6,071.65
Roads and Walks a/c	11.463.65
Music	4,078.95
Police	6444.40
Cleaning Sale	1870.50
Office Exp.	6,95[illegible]5
Mount & Rel g. Woods	336.115
Animals	668.30
Drainage	796.1[illegible]
Miscellaneous	7125 $124.145.98
	$150.749.38

Amount expended from Jan. 1/97 to Apr. 1/98 on Golden Gate Park for Labor in constructing and maintaining depots [illegible] $150.749.38

Amount expended for Material used in Construction and Maintenance at Golden Gate Park from Jany 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898.

1897		Construction	
Jany.	For all departments	$ 5933.67	
Feby.	"	1998.91	
Mar.	"	3306.17	
Apl.	"	2115.15	
May.	"	4445.08	
June and July	"	20,218.59	
Aug.	"	11,715.87	
Sept.	"	6[illegible].5[illegible]	
Oct.	"	11,541.1[illegible]	
Nov.	"	[illegible]344.5[illegible]	
Dec.	"	6,112.38	
1898		[illegible]	
Feb.	"	11148.65	
Mar	"	2926.32	$ 91.016.15
1897		Maintenance	
Jany.	For all departments	$ 2104.23	
Feby.		1664.33	
March		[illegible]	
April.		1991.18	
May.		3093.10	
June		2178.24	
July and Aug		3194.39	
Sept.		3607.31	
Oct.		3447.05	
Nov.		1891.61	
Dec.		1364.90	
1898			
Jany		1858.29	
Feby		[illegible]	
March		1911.01 [illegible]	
		$ 32,116.80	

Amount expended from Jany. 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898 for Material in construction & maintenance of all departments $ 123,132.95

Total amount expended for all departments from Jany. 1. 1897 to Apl 1. 1898 $ 180,749.38

[illegible]

Cost of Material and Labor in establishing Electric Plant at Golden Gate Park.

Labor A/c.

1897 July 31	Cost of Labor for month	$139.60	
Aug "		200.90	
Sept. 30		118	
Oct.		90.	
"		171.	
Dec. 31		99.	
1898 Jan. "		40.10	
Feb. 28		142.25	
Mar. 31		1349.55	$2280.40

Material A/c.

1897 Aug 31	Cost of lumber, labor for [illegible]	$1184 72	
Sept 30	" " tiles &c	162.50	
"	" " labor	7.05	
"	" " [illegible]	60.25	
Oct.	" " cement	71.25	
	1st payment on boiler	1850	
"	" " " Engine	3250	
Nov. 30	" " material for sidewalk	120	
	" " steps & fences	73.	
	[illegible]	71.25	
[illegible] 1898	1st payment Dynamos	1700	
" 31	" " Boiler	1850	
	[illegible] of wire	4740	
[illegible] 28	[illegible] Dynamos	1100	
"	Dynamos	1733.	
	" " Hardware	24.23	
	[illegible]	75.80	
	[illegible]	3352	
Mar 31	" " Helper	6.	
	[illegible]	18.50	
	[illegible]	20.	
	" " [illegible]	1050	
	[illegible]	4470	
	[illegible]	1100	

Recapitulation

Boilers	$ 3700.
Engine	4780.
Dynamos	3433.
Wire	4740.
Elec. Supplies	105.00
Lumber. Hdwe. Cement. Sundries	3,573.43
Labor.	2.280.00
	$ 22 617.33

S.F. Apr. 28/98

D. M. Folger

Acct.

The figures in the foregoing statement can be found in detail in my Statement showing Construction a/c as made up of material used and labor employed. Structures. Wire a/c is simply to set forth the cost of the Electric Plant by segregation from General Construction a/c

One half of the wire has been stretched and one half the poles erected

An inventory of tools and material in the wire house of Electric Plant is now on file at Office of Golden Gate Park furnished by

San Francisco

April 28. 1898

List of Tools on hand as scheduled on file at Park Office. April 28. 1898

At a special meting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge May 10/98 were present;

Comrs Austin Scott, Rosenfeld and Speckels.

The following business was transacted;

A. B. Speckels succeeds Comr. Rosenfeld

Comr. Rosenfeld introduced Mr. A. B. Speckels as his successor he having been appointed by the Governor to fill the place of Comr. Rosenfeld whose term of Office had expired.

Comr. Austin tendered his resignation as Chairman of the Board, and on an unanimous vote Comr. Speckels was elected President of the Board

On motion of Comr Scott seconded by Comr. Austin, Miss V. V. Block, was re-appointed Secretary of the Board for the term. Carried unanimously.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Mr. John McLaren was re-appointed Superintendent of the Park for the term. Carried unanimously

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Mr. C. P. Wilcomb was re-appointed Curator of the Museum for the term Carried unanimously.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Comr. Scott reported that the Fish Exhibit of the Museum which was loaned to the International Fisheries Exposition to be held this summer in Norway had been shipped as per instructions received

The Repat of C. P. Wilcomb, Curator of the Museum was received and ordered spread on

California Midwinter International Exposition.
Memorial Museum, Golden Gate Park
San Francisco, Cal., April 30. 1898.

To the Honorable
The Board of Park Commissioners for the City
and County of San Francisco, State of California.
Gentlemen,

During the past three years just ended, which marks the first three years of the life of the Park Museum, I have had the honor on numerous occasions to report to you on the growth and development of the institution; and your actions in the past having shown your desire to do what seemed best for its welfare and the fostering of the interest taken in its most phenominal growth, as shown by the large and constantly increasing attendance of the public, I have less hesitancy in reporting to you now, at the beginning of our fourth year and express my views as to its further development and welfare

It is with a feeling of deep pleasure that I recall the great progress made during these first few years, and particularly the gratifying advance made with the last twelve months, [illegible] be obvious to all that the creation of a public Museum in Golden Gate Park can no longer be looked upon as an experiment.

The accessions, both by donations and loan, have been extensive, and seem to yield, and perhaps to exceed in importance the additions of the first two years. The coming annual Report of the Curator, for the year ending June 30. 1898. will give a full and comprehensive account of all accessions, and which I need not recite at this time.

The Museum has been especially well patronized, the total attendance having been nearly a half million visitors.

The collections are all in excellent condition and the installation in nearly all departments has been considerably improved. A large number of

new display cases have been built and added to the different departments and many old ones changed about, which has enabled rearrangement of collections and brought the classification to a higher standard.

The steam heating system introduced during last summer has proved very satisfactory, when properly attended to, and has checked the danger of injury that threatened many valuable exhibits, by excess of moisture in different halls.

The addition of the new building to be used for another picture gallery, has given room for the exhibition of many valuable paintings, both gifts and loans, and allowed of extensive rearrangement in the old gallery which had become overcrowded.

The Museum force although not so large as is really needed, is well organized, under perfect control and discipline, and attentive to its duties.

While there are many things needed in the way of additional furniture, alterations and improvements for the proper display and maintenance of the institution, I would respectfully present for your consideration the following suggestions.

New Buildings

First.— The first and most urgent need of the institution to which I have to call your attention, is the seemingly absolute necessity of another addition to the buildings. The present buildings can no longer furnish extra space for one department without taking it away from another.

The accessions to nearly all departments have been so extensive during the year that it is now impossible to arrange for space to properly display much material already accumulated. [illegible] the rapidly increasing [illegible] of contributions. I hope the Commissioners may find it possible to adopt some plan whereby it will be arranged to soon enlarge the Museum [illegible]

Second. North American Indian Hall

No department of the Museum has developed so rapidly, and no other has become

as the department of North American Indians. In order to relieve the crowded condition of this hall, as well as to provide space for the installation of a mass of material that has accumulated during the past year, I would recommend that a gallery be constructed entirely around the walls, over and above the wall-cases. As the walls are sufficiently high this addition could be made. Similar galleries could likewise be found in the "Oriental," General and Ceramic Halls." The walls in these halls are of the same height as those in the Indian Hall.

Additional exhibition space could also be gained for the Indian collections by substituting glass for wood in the doors of the counters surrounding the wall-cases around the wall of this hall. I would urge that this arrangement be considered, and the plan carried out without delay.

Third. Gem Hall.

Attention should be called to the necessity of safer exhibition halls for both the coin and gem collections. The main hall of the Royal Saracenic Pavilion, which is utilized as the department of gems and jewels, is recognized as the weakest part of the entire museum, when in reality it ought to be the strongest and the best protected. The collection, also is exposed to great danger of robbery. As two attempts have been made in the past to break open the coin cases during exhibition hours, it has been deemed necessary to remove from exhibition all of the most valuable pieces, including some rare gold coins. These are now kept locked in the vault in the Office. It seems imperative that the jewels and coins should be installed in one room where they could be guarded by an Officer at all times while open to visitors, and safely locked up at night. In a former report I recommended that a suitable room be constructed expressly for a "Money" room. The walls to be of good thickness and the [illegible] steel [illegible]

one entrance and exit, the same through a regular steel bank vault to be locked safely at night. Some radical modification of the present arrangement seems very essential, but at present there is no hall in the Museum adapted for the purpose. As soon as another addition can be made to the building, a suitable and thoroughly burglar proof repository, as referred to above should be built for such a department of "Monies and Jewels."

Fourth. Bronze Hall

By transferring the "gems and jewels" from the Pavilion to other quarters it will then be possible to create in the abandoned jewel hall a department of Bronzes which scheme has been discussed, more or less, in the past. It has never been possible to provide a suitable and appropriate room for the bronzes and they are now still, necessarily, scattered in different parts of the Museum. The [illegible] Vase is intended to place as a central figure and [illegible] at the other two small groups, representing the four elements, now occupying relative positions and which are at present exhibited outside of the main entrance to the Museum. In floor cases about the walls would be displayed the collections of smaller bronzes. I think this subject worthy your thoughtful attention.

Fifth. Picture Galleries.

In both picture galleries a system of movable roller shades for regulating the light, is considered very necessary to prevent possible damage to valuable paintings from excess of light on all [illegible] days.

Sixth. Numbers for Rooms and Cases.

All of the rooms in the Museum require to be numbered to correspond with the numbers assigned them in "the visitors guide", the various Catalogues and References and including the card catalogue. As the [illegible] are to be permanent as well as [illegible], would suggest that by the [illegible] upon [illegible]

that this should be done immediately, before the guides are furnished to the public

Seventh Visitors Guide Book.

The [illegible] "Guide Book" was commenced during the summer of 1897 and was about two-thirds finished when [illegible] at the end of September, on account of the discharge of five regular employes including the clerical force, by reason of lack of funds. The work has again been resumed and it is expected that the manuscript will be ready for the printers early in May if no further interruption occurs. In order that this work be done properly and without errors, it requires a vast amount of labor and care.

Eight. Printing Outfit

A very necessary adjunct to the work of the Museum is a small printing outfit for printing our own labels. A press, the necessary type, furniture and cardboard and other stock would not exceed seventy-five dollars ($75.-) in cost.

Ninth. Telephone

On account of the distance between the Mail Office and the Museum [illegible] would be a great convenience. It would also be a saving of car fares to various parts of the City. The reasons for having a telephone in the Museum are obvious, and I would respectfully suggest that the matter be considered in the Commissioners [illegible]

Tenth. [illegible]

We greatly need a suitable vehicle, a small truck of two wheels with low attachment, the wheels with solid rubber tires, for many and various uses about the halls of the Museum. We have now using consists of a piece of plank with castors for trucks, and this is not only entirely unsuitable for the requirements but is really dangerous, as it is uncontrollable when being hauled by handle and frequently rolls against the furniture and exhibits. We have daily use for a truck in conveying exhibits from one department to another, and in removing

Sweepings from the twenty-four halls, carrying the thirty or more cuspidors to be cleaned and returning same. Such trucks as we need are to be had at the large hardware Stores.

Eleventh. Department Parcel Checking.

In order to make the system of checking such objects as are not allowed to be taken into the Museum more efficient, I have found it necessary to place some movable barrier between the two outer pillars in the Entrance hall. so that all persons entering will have to pass through the central passage, to [illegible] the Check boy is Stationed [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Fourteenth Fire Protection.

For the purpose of minimising the danger from fire, as well as to save unnecessary expense, I recommend that the use of gas and coal oil be entirely dispensed with, and that no fire carrying lights and lanterns be allowed in the buildings

As it is considered necessary to keep lights burning all night in the "Jewel Hall" and "Statuary Hall" and one for the night watchman. It would be well to substitute large safety lamps, burning non-explosive oil. I think this plan would be fully as satisfactory in all ways, and would be a saving of the heavy gas bills

It again seems necessary to repeat [illegible] to emphasize the extreme necessity for more adequate service for protecting the institution from fire. In former reports, I have touched upon this subject, but no improvement in the condition of affairs has been made in any degree, during the last three years

I will again recommend that four more hydrants, with 75-foot lengths of cotton hose attached, be furnished for the interior of rear halls, and also two regulation fire-plugs be placed near the front and rear of the buildings, outside, and if possible a fire alarm box at the main entrance. It must be remembered that the Museum is a long distance from any fire alarm box at present, and that there is no conveniences in the way of supplying water to the Engines in event of conflagrations

Fifteenth Old Building

No repairs have been made to the exterior of the buildings during the year. Some of the staff and stucco work of the cornices and columns on front of the [illegible] and is falling off. The group of figures surmounting the [illegible] also in very bad condition, and in need of repairs. I recommend that the staff and all plaster work be restored before the next wet season. The frieze and sphinxes in front of the Pavilion

also need painting.

Sixteenth Roof Repairs

It has been found that objects in the department of Natural History are fading in color, and otherwise suffering in consequence of the light from the glass roof being too strong. To remedy this evil it has been proposed to replace about two thirds of the glass around the lower sides and ends with sheets of steel roofing laid upon the iron rafters. This suggestion is apparently the best course to pursue.

The leakage of the glass roof in question has caused much annoyance and no small amount of injury to exhibits and furniture. The entire roof should be put in first class condition before the next raining season.

Seventeenth. Coal Bin

During the past winter much trouble and inconvenience resulted from the necessity of keeping the coal used for the heating system in the sand outside and some distance away from the boiler. I would suggest that before the damp season again commences an underground coal bin be made at the side nearest the furnace and leading thereto, with a small hole on top for the reception of the coal

Eighteenth. Display Cases.

A large number of new exhibition cases are again greatly needed in several departments, and following is a list showing for what purpose and for what departments they are wanted

I. Jewel Hall. 1 for large Sevres Vase, now exposed.
1 for Bronze, onyx and porcelain Vase Louis XV
1 for the valuable Mosaic table, now exposed
1 for the Mosaic pictures and
1 for jewelled swords and daggers

II. German Room. 1 for reproductions of gold cups etc
1 for collection of jewel caskets.

III. Egyptian Hall 1 for reproductions of ancient bronzes, and 1 for ancient pottery.

VI. Mineral Hall – 6 for the large specimens which are now scattered about on the floor and exposed to dust and injury. and 1 for models of famous gold nuggets.

V. Armor Hall – 12 cases for protecting the suits of armor

II. Produce Room – 1 for collection of cereals and woods

VII. Curiosity Hall – 2 for [illegible] specimens of gold.

VIII. Department of Natural History.

6 for collection of California food fishes.
6 " " " land and marine shells.
6 " " " birds eggs.
1 " large stuffed birds and
1 " Japanese deer, mounted.

IX. Colonial Room – 1 for Antiquities from New England.

Nineteenth. Library.

While the present financial condition of the Museum exists, it cannot reasonably be expected that any large collection of scientific works can be purchased. However, a few more special volumes that are much needed in carrying on the work of identification and classification, it would seem possible to have. Also a few publications such as certain magazines and journals devoted to Museum subjects would be of great use, and not only of value for our present work but to file in the library for future reference.

Twentieth Damage

The earthquake of Wednesday night March 31 caused considerable damage to the building and to exhibits Of the latter the loss is estimated at nearly fifty dollars

A detailed report of the disturbance to building and contents was made under date April 2. 1898

Of the injured exhibits there are about a dozen articles principally ceramics. that can be restored to good condition. The expense would be about twenty dollars and I would recommend that it work be done as soon as possible

[illegible]

Park Commissioners the necessity of having a permanent clerk to assist me in writing, recording and general clerical work, especially in the matter of proper and systematic cataloguing, numbering and labelling and recording the collections as they accumulate

I desire to state that the Museum has a correct and complete record of all articles, both properties and loans, that are in the collections, but yet that record is only a simple and general catalogue or register. Such a system of record doubtless would suffice for a small institution but the rapid and continuous growth of this Museum in numerical exhibits and the necessary [illegible] a large number of departments makes a more complex system of registration and cataloguing absolutely necessary.

The most modern and the most approved system in vogue in all the more important institutions of the last, is very essential to a constantly growing [illegible], but to carry it on requires a great deal of time and labor. And as much of such work is concealed from the general public or rather is not apparent to the masses or even the more critical observers, I fear the importance of the thing is not appreciated

Considerable work in this line has been started in the last year, but without constant assistance in copying it has been impossible to make any marked advance. This work cannot be done spasmodically as it requires the constant care and attention of one or more persons each day, to prevent confusion. If allowed to fall into arrear the more help it will require and the more difficult it will be to catch up and keep the work straight in it. I [illegible]

[illegible] departments, upwards of [illegible] ing every specimen, the [illegible] three years. This should [illegible] catalogued with cross [illegible] to make the material ava

for scientific research, and to keep abreast of the times and up to date in records To work up all of this mass of material, it must be apparent to the Commissioners that there will be several months writing necessary, and the curator cannot possibly do it all with his many other duties
With one permanent clerk this work could be carried on without interruption and brought up to date. It then would doubtless be an easy matter, comparatively to handle the new additions as they come in from day to day, and thus keep the records and cataloguing always up to date and in pace with other institutions
[illegible] during the year, thoughtfully and most kindly furnished a splendid hard wood cabinet, with the necessary cards to adopt the system and catalogue 20,000 articles without clerical assistance I have been able to catalogue the [illegible] donated.
Realizing the prime necessity of carrying out the work above described I consider a permanent clerk a necessity. Either [illegible] would be satisfactory, no doubt, but from a pecuniary point of view I would recommend that a lady be engaged. The expense of a lady would be less [illegible] to pay a gentleman. If the lady could operate a typewriting machine and do plain and neat handwriting she would fill all requirements and perhaps would apply herself to this particular kind of work more steadily than a man.

(illegible)

In conclusion I wish to say that in preparing this [illegible] for the past ten months, many points of interest and importance have been passed by, which will be presented in the annual report at the close of the municipal year ending June 30. 1898
Thanking you all for the great courtesy

liberal treatment accorded me in my administration
of the affairs of this institution

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your dutiful and grateful servant
C. P. Walcott.
Curator

Meeting | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held May 24/98 were present.

Comr. A. B. Spreckels (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" J. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes | The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report | The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved, and ordered placed on file

Warrants | Warrants to the amount of $ 13,094.67 were examined and ordered paid

187 Labor warrants amounting to $ 10,461 65
38 Material " " 2633 02
$ 13094.67

Bids in | The following Bids for Hose were received

Goodyear Rubber Co

S. F. May 13/98

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
City

Gents.

We hand you herewith, as per your request, a sample of our 1½" 5 ply hose, the same as furnished you last year. This hose is made with 6 ply cotton ends, and we will guarantee it to give you the best of service. We can make a price on this hose of 28c per foot net. Hoping we may receive your order, we are,

Yours very truly,
Goodyear Rubber Co. J. Eaton.

Gorham Rubber Co.

Cotton 1" and 1½" hose at 27½ net
1" " " 30c

Revere Rubber Co.

S.F. Apr. 23/98

Mr. John McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
City.

Dear Sir,

We have sent to you for your examination one length each of our 1" 4 ply and 1½" 4 ply Giants Water Hose. This is the best quality of water hose which we manufacture and on which we will give you a one years guarantee, stipulating to replace any hose which may prove defective in that period from any fault of workmanship or material

On the 1" we quote you price of $21. per hundred feet complete with any couplings that you may desire we to put on. On the 1½" we will quote You $28. per hundred feet, coupled as you may desire. As stated above this is the best quality of water hose which we manufacture. We have several cheaper grades on which we will be pleased to submit figures if You so desire.

Trusting we may be favored with your Orders we are

Yours truly,
Revere Rubber Co.
Per W. M. Morris Mgr.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the bid of the Revere Rubber Co. being the lowest the Superintendent was instructed to purchase same from them.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the Supt. of the Park was instructed to notify

the proper officers of the troops stationed near the Park that there will be no more drilling in the Park, as numerous complaints have been lodged against allowing same on account of accidents.

A communication was received from R. J. Boehm offering for sale a pair of Swans for $3.00. The same was referred to Supt. McLaren, and for him to report on same at next Meeting.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to dispose of 3 Elk for $150.- also 3 Buffaloes for $250. each.

Stuffed dog

A communication was received from Mr. H. Vernon tendering to the Museum a stuffed dog. Same was accepted, and the Secty instructed to notify him of same

Troops in

A communication was received from P. H. Cahill relative to allowing the troops to drill in the Park. There being no address to the letter the Secretary was unable to answer him

Trolley

Mr. M. Lynch representing the Market St. Railway Co., appeared before the Board relative to allowing the Trolley Poles to be erected within the limits of Golden Gate Park along Stanyan St. After hearing same, the Commissioners decided not to grant the said request.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the Supt. was instructed to continue the Electric Light System of the Beach, and also to improve the various approaches to the different Depots

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive Bids for Hay and Grain. Coal and Foam

The Board then adjourned.

W. W. Black
Secty.

...ting | At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comis. held June 7/98 were present;

Comr. A. B. Speckels. (in the Chair.)
" Jr. Austin.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes | The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

...Scott resigns | The resignation of Irving M. Scott as Park Commissioner, under date of May 24/98 be accepted.

...f ...l Houses | The case of the "Boat House" was renewed to Mr L.J. Chemnis, the present Lessee, for the term of one year from June 1/98 at a rental of $300.- per annum, payable monthly.

A Communication was received from Mrs. McFarland relative to procuring a collection of Fish for the Park. The Secretary was instructed to notify him that the Commissioners would not accept this offer.

In regard to the Storage Battery for lighting ... the Commissioners decided to take no action in the matter.

On motion of Comr Austin the entire management & control of Speed Track was left to Comr Speckels

...on | The application of E. Aigeltinger for permission ...ed | to have a ...ball on Speed Road was denied

On motion of Comr. Austin it was agreed to build a Shed at the end of the Speed Road to ... fifteen buggies

The following Amendment to the Bicycle Ordinance passed Dec. 7/94, was considered and adopted and the same was ordered to be published in the 'Daily Repat' for 10 days Sundays excepted

Ordinance No. 17 passed Dec 7. 1894

Sec. 1. Bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes and vehicles of similar character may be ridden or driven over any and all the driveways in Golden Gate Park and on and over the Boulevard or Great Highway except the driveway around Stow Lake and the driveway leading up Strawberry Hill and the carriage concourse adjacent to the concert Station and the Speed Road, and the Main Drive when paralleled by the Bicycle Road.

The exclusion from the Carriage Concourse aforesaid is limited to the afternoons of days when there is music at the established Concert Station

Sec. 2. All persons are prohibited from riding or driving any bicycle tricycle or velocipede, or over any of the lawns or footpaths in Golden Gate Park, except said vehicles may be led over the short walk leading from the Page Street Entrance to the South Drive, and also over the walk leading from the corner of Fulton and Stanyan streets to the North Ridge Road.

Sec. 3. Not more than two bicycles, tricycles or velocipedes going in the same direction at the same rate of speed shall be ridden abreast.

Sec. 4. All vehicles named in Section 1 hereof must be driven in a straight away course as nearly as possible, and must not turn or be driven across, or to and fro. Vehicles must conform to the customary rules of the road In meeting a vehicle going in the opposite direction they must pass on the right hand side

In passing a vehicle going in the same direction they must pass on the left hand side

Sec. 5. Wheelmen may ride their machines on the walk running along the South side of the Speed Track Also on the walk commencing at or near Thirty-fifth Avenue, if extended on the north drive and terminating at about Forty-Eight Ave., if extended

Sec. 6 On days on which music is played in Concert Valley the Speed of bicycles on Main Drive between flagstaffs and Sixth Avenue, shall be limited to six miles per hour.

Sec. 7 All persons are prohibited from riding pushing or driving any bicycle, tricycle or similar vehicle along the main drive where the bicycle path parallels said Drive

Sec. 8. All persons are prohibited from travelling on the Road known as the bicycle path except they be riding or leading a bicycle tricycle or similar vehicle

Sec. 9 All persons are prohibited from riding or driving any bicycle or similar vehicle at a greater rate of speed than 10 miles per hour or 1 mile in six minutes.

Any person who shall violate any of the provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not less than five days nor more than six months

The Board then adjourned.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held June 16/98 were present;

Comr. A.B. Spreckels (in the Chair.)
" Jos. Austin

The following business was transacted.

Communications

A communication was received from D. C. Coggin relative to having a Concert on July 4/98 Said request granted. Also to perform a Military piece on July 3/98 Said request was denied.

A communication was received from Lt. W. W. Haymore asking permission of the Board of the Ambulance people in the Park could keep an Eagle all expense to be paid by them. Said request was granted

The following Bids for Coal were received

Bid of Chas. R. Allen

San Francisco, Cal. June 15. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen;

In answer to yours of the 15th inst. I beg to quote you as follows on 200 Tons Average Steam Coal for Pumping Station 25 Tons Pennsylvania Egg Conservatory, and 25 Tons Cannel House Coal for Lodge. I beg to quote the following

Average Nanaimo $x.xx per ton delivered at Park
Clean " x.xx " "
Clean Egg x.xx " "

above prices quoted on 2240 lbs to the ton. And the coal is the same as we have been supplying during the last few years

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Bid of J.C. Wilson & Co

San Francisco June 14/98

To the Honorable
The Board of Park Commissioners
City.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your communication of the 1st inst. we beg to state that we will deliver Two Hundred (200) Tons Cooperative Wellington Coal to Pumping Station at $7.25. Twenty-five (25) Tons Pennsylvania Egg to Conservatory at $16.50 and Twenty (20) Tons Cumberland Wellington to Lodge at $8.25, Tons of 2240 lbs. delivered as required.

Yours truly
J.C. Wilson & Co

Bid of A. Dunsmuir's Sons Co.

San Francisco June 15/98

Bd. of Commissioners
of Golden Gate Park City

Gentlemen;

Referring to your favor of the 1st inst, We can quote you Coal as under.

200 tons	Steam Comox Coal @	$7.75
25 "	Pennsylvania Egg "	15.
20 "	Wellington for House "	11.

per ton of 2240 pounds delivered at the Park

Very respectfully,
A. Dunsmuir's Sons Co
per Edward Cox

(The bid of Chas. R. Allen being the lowest the Supt was instructed to accept, Bid of J.C. Wilson & Co for Steam Coal)

San Francisco, June 7, 1898

Golden Gate Park Commissioners.
Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen

relative to prices of Feed is as Land.
My prices to-day are as follows at the Mill.
Rolled Barley $20.50 per ton
Oats 30.- " "
No. 1. Feed Oats 1.45 " 100 lbs.
In your communication you fail to state the quantity
and the time for delivery of the Feed. Should you desire
prices on feed for one year or for any other period of time my bid would be made accordingly.
The prices mentioned above are for present
delivery. Should you require any change I would
be pleased to quote you prices
Awaiting your further favors
I am
Truly Yours
C. H. Jones Mgr.

Bid of Somers & Co

San Francisco June 14 1898

To the Honorable Board of Golden Gate Park Commissioners.
City.

In response to your communication of
14th inst, we beg to submit our figures for
various kinds of hay delivered free of charge
at the Park Stables, in car-load lots:

Choice wheat hay	$24.75	per ton
Choice wheat & oat	24.50	" "
Choice oat	22.00	
Choice Alfalfa	14.00	"

Respectfully submitted
Somers & Co

Bid of Polo Mills

San Francisco. June 14. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
City & County Hall, City

Dear Sirs,
In answer to your favor of the 14th inst
submit to you the following prices, at our
Mill 1120 Mission St.-
Rolled Oats. $29.50 per ton

Rolled Barley $25. per ton
1st. class feed oats $1.40 per 100
Trusting that these prices will enable you to award us at least part of your necessary supply, we remain

Yours Respectfully
Henry F Biagerman

Del Monte Milling Co

San Francisco June 14. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners.
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen,

In accordance with your call for Bids under date of June 11th. to be submitted on or before Wednesday, June 15th we beg to quote you as follows;

Rolled Feed Oats $29.- per ton at the Mill, put up in Sacks
" Barley 25.- " " " " "
No 1 Feed Oats 28.- " " " "

Trusting to receive your orders, which will have our best attention. We are,

Yours Respectfully
Del Monte Milling Co
per [illegible]

[illegible] Milling Co

[illegible] San Francisco [illegible] 6/98

[illegible] Commissioners.
City.

Gentlemen,

We can furnish you at our Mill for immediate delivery as follows

Feed [illegible] Oats 1.45 per 100 lbs
Rolled Oats (Feed) 30.- per Ton
Rolled Barley 26.- " "
} Net Cash

[illegible]
[illegible] Milling Co

Bid of E Augeltinger

San Francisco June 13. 1898

To the Hon.
The Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter as regards of price of Hay my Bid is I will deliver in Car load lots as you desire it on the cars;

Choice Wheat Hay @ $21.-
" " Mg Oat. 20.25
" " 19.75
" Vetch 21
" alfalfa 20.

Hoping to hear from you
I Remain -
Yours Respectfully
E Augeltinger

Bid of A. Dutard.

San Francisco

Park Commissioners
Fell and Stanyan Sts. City

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of June 11th I will say that I will sell you first quality of oats on the Seawall at $1.35. I do not handle rolled oats, rolled barley or Rye. The quantity of oats is for ordinary quantity, that is to say not over 50 tons. Subject to immediate acceptance

Yours truly
A Dutard

Bid of Scott and Magner

San Francisco June 11. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
City Hall

Gentlemen,

Replying to your invitation for Bids on Hay and Grain, we are pleased to submit you

as follows viz:-

Grain.

We will deliver your teams in the City at once:-
No.1 Rolled Oats at $1.45 pr. Bbl
No.1 " Barley " 24.00 " Ton
No.1 Oats at 1.35 pr. Ctl.

Hay

We will deliver to your Stables at once.
Such quality of choice old crop Wheat and Wheat and Oat Hay, as you use, and subject to your selection at $13.- per Ton. No.1 New Wheat & Wheat & Oat Hay at $10.- per Ton. No.1 Alfalfa Hay at $15.- pr. Ton No.1 Oat Hay at $21.00 per Ton.
We further submit;- We will contract to furnish you with all your Wheat Hay for one year from July 1st. 1898 at $21.48 per ton. (This is the figure at which we have just contracted with the City.

Faithfully
Scott and Magner.

The bid of E. Coffinger for Hay being the lowest the Contract was awarded to him
The bid of Scott and Magner for Grain being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them.

Bids for Loam.

Bid of C. Conny
2733 Pine St.
S.F. June 15/98
To Bid to hauling loam to Golden Gate Park.
I propose to haul 10,000 yards more or less west of Strawberry Hill for 7½c pr. cu. yd.
C. Conny

Bid of J.R. Blanchard
Board of Park Comrs. Gld. Park S.F.
S.F. June 15/98

June 4. 1898 Dam pleased to submit bid for 10,000 cu. yds more or less of first quality Black loam delivered at certain places in Golden Gate Park, West of Strawberry Hill as may be designated by you, at 78 cents per cubic yard, as per sample

Respy. submitted.

J K L. Dam. Laid

1st Bid of P. Broderick No. 9 Heyman Avenue.

San Francisco June 14. 1898

Hon. Board of Park Commissioners.

Will deliver 10,000 cubic yards of loam to be put on roads of Park, at 93¢ per cubic yd. (93¢)

2nd Bid of P. Broderick

San Francisco June 14. 1898

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners,

Gentlemen,

Furnish 50,000 cubic yards of first class loam and lay 5 miles of Track 2 miles on Diamond and one mile in Park for (65¢) per cu. yd. It is also understood that Park Commissioners will furnish Track material and do grading in Park as Said Dam to furnish labor for track laying only. It is further agreed that I will distribute loam through trees where ever needed a distance of 300 ft. or either side of Track. Said Commissioners to make arrangements with Sutro Road Company in carrying out the above proposition.

P. Broderick Contractor

3rd Bid of O. McHugh

S. F. June

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners.

Gents

I will furnish the very best quality of Black loam and deliver it on Strawberry Hill for the sum of [illegible] per cubic yd. and will guarantee entire satisfaction

Respectfully. O. McHugh 21 Fair Haven St.

Bid of Buckman Contracting Co

S.F. June 15. 1898

To the Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners

Gentlemen;

We will furnish and deliver ten thousand yards, more or less of good loam at such points as are designated by your Superintendent Mr. McLaren at the rate of 76 cts per cu. yd.

Respectfully

Buckman Contracting Co.

A.E. Buckman.

Pres

California Contruction Co

S.F. June 14. 1898

To the Honble Park Commissioners

of Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen.

The undersigned propose and agree to furnish and deliver in Golden Gate Park Four Thousand (4000) yards of Loam (more or less) at the rate of Seventy-nine cents (79) per cubic yard.

California Construction Co

[illegible]

Bid of F.L. Sheerin.

S.F. June 15th 1898

Golden Gate Park Commission

Gentlemen.

The undersigned proposes and agrees to deliver loam in Golden Gate Park as directed by the Superintendent Mr. Jno. McLaren at One Dollar and Fifteen Cents ($1.15) per cubic yard.

Respectfully

[illegible] F. Sheerin

Bid of John Tuttle.

S.F. June 15. 1898

Mr. John McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park.

Dear Sir,

In accordance with your proposal, I propose to deliver Loam in the Park for One & 85/100 Dollars ($1.85) per load of two cubic yard to the Load.

Respectfully submitted
John Tuttle

Bid of E. F. Dennison.

S. F. June 14. 1898

Messrs Park Commissioners

The undersigned agrees to deliver good black Loam in Golden Gate Park for Seventy (70) cts per cu. yard to the Satisfaction of Mr. McLaren

Yours Respectfully

The bids of E F Dennison & E. Tuttle being the lowest the Supt. was instructed to see if the Loam be of good quality, and if there be no trouble from the former to agree with them with same, previous to entering into Contract with said Park

Bids for Printing Museum Catalogue

Henton Printing Co.

S F June 15 98

To the Board of Park Commissioners.

We will print 100 Copies of Catalogue (including cuts or diagrams) for the Sum of Two Hundred and Fifteen Dollars Each Edition

Bid of Walter N. Brunt.

S.F. June 14. 1898

W.C. Block. Esq.
Secy. Board of Park Commissioners.

Sir,

We will make the 18 cuts as pr. drawings on sheets and in book and furnish 1000 Copies of Catalogue size and quality of Annual Repat but of sufficient pages to take in matter as per Copy. $282.50
Ink can be started immediately and as we are accustomed to Zincograph work we can furnish a first class job.

Yours respectfully
Walter N Brunt
pr. A.S.B.

Bid of H.S. Crocker & Co

S.F. June 13. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
Gentlemen,

We bid for printing 1000 copies of the Catalogue of the Panorama and Plan of the Halls for ... and to conform, quality and size of paper to be used in annual Park report $525.-

Very Respectfully
H.S. Crocker Co
Per Newman

J Healy.

My dear McLaren

My partner has advised me not to put in any bid on your Catalogue. We are not prepared to do the job justice & will wait until we are ready to do work without great inconvenience.

Yours gratefully
J Healy

The Bid of the Hinton Printing Co. being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them.

Meeting | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held June 25/95 were present,

Comr. A.B. Speckels (in the chair)
" J. Austin.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes | The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Supts Report | The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and ordered filed.

Warrants | Warrants to the amount of $ 19,535.69 were examined and ordered paid
Labor warrants amounting to $12,345.55
" Material " " " 7190.14
$19,535.69

Police Report | The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Letter from | A communication was recvd from E Kennedy stating that he would be unable to procure and furnish Loam to the Park.

Motion | Comr Austin moved that if it was duly seconded by Comr Speckels that when any party could deliver Loam of good quality at Contract price that being 75c per cu. yard, the same should be accepted

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held July 27/98, at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. A.B. Spreckels. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin

The following business was transacted,

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report. The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants. Warrants to the amount of $ 13,447.70 were examined and ordered paid

Sixty warrants amounting to $ 13,183.85
Material " " 263.85
$13,447.70

IV. A communication was received from A. C. Robison offering $100.- for 3 Elk, and $600.- for 3 Buffalo. The same was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act.

A communication was received from A. L. Webber, of Santa Monica, offering an Alligator for sale Secty. instructed to notify that the Comrs. did not care to purchase same.

The Secty was instructed to tender a letter of thanks to the Tubbs Cordage Co. for a donation of Rope, and also to the Dunham, Carrigan & Co. for a donation of harness hooks to be used in the Sheds on the Speed Road.

The Board adjourned

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug 26/98, were present:

Comr. A. B. Spreckels. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin.

The following business was transacted,

minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved,

Warrants to the amount of $ 12,237.28 were examined and ordered paid.

14 Labor warrants amounting to 12,225.63
1 'material' 11.65
$12,237.28

Supt. Fixed — The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read approved and ordered filed.

" Supt. — The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Supt. Telephone — A communication was received from Kane & Daly offering to sell a Horse to the Park. The Supt. was instructed to notify them that no more horses were required at present

Supt. authorized to have photographs taken of the Centrifugal Sand pumps and pumps, also of the construction and work in progress at the Pumping Station. Also of the Sheet-piling and other apparatus used in the construction of the Water System.

Designs — On motion of Comr Austin seconded by Comr Spreckels the Supt. was instructed to have designs submitted for Gate Posts to be erected at Park Entrance on 6th Ave. — Also for designs for a New Music Stand.

Coast Tel. — A communication was received from the Pacific Coast Telephone Construction Co. which was referred to Supt. McLaren

purchase
"Sylva of America"

Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase Prof. Sargent's work entitled "Sylva of America"

Supt. McLaren was instructed to commence work on the Gentlemens Toilet to be constructed in Concert Valley.

The Board then adjourned.

V V Block
Sec

Meeting. | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 23/98, were present;

Comr. C.B. Speckels (in the Chair
" Jos. Austin.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes | The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Warrants | Warrants to the amount of $ 14.086.00 were examined and ordered paid.

210 Labor warrants amounting to $ 13.71
1 Material warrant " 22.80
$ 13.86

Supt's Report | The monthly Report of Supt. Farrell was read and approved and ordered filed.

Chief Ranger's Report. | The monthly Report of Capt. Thomsen was read and ordered filed.

Mr. Architect Edw. R. Swain submitted plans for erection a new Band Stand and for Gate Posts.
Trans. Said plans were laid over until next meeting when other plans will be submitted

The Board then adjourned

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 17/98 were present;

Comr. A.B. Speckels in the Chair
" F.W. Zeile.

The following busness was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

After a general discussion relative to present needs and future improvements of the Park, the Board then adjourned.

The Board then adjourned

W.W. Block
Sec.

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Saturday Nov. 7th/98 were present.

Comr. A.B. Speckels
" F.W. Zeile.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants to the amount of $66,176.43 were examined and ordered paid. being for months of Oct. and Nov. /98

481 Labor warrants.		$26668.80
166 Material	"	39.507 63
		$66,176.43

A communication was received from A.W. Foothill for permission to erect a small water wheel at Huntington Falls. Said Request was denied.

The following Bids for Pipe were received, and Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co., being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them

Bid of Dunham Carrigan & Hayden Co.

S.F. Nov. 7 1898

J.M. Wm Superintendent Golden Gate Park S.F.

Dear Sir

We propose to furnish you

the pipe we quote you as follows,

1000 ft 1 1/2 in. galvanized 11.1/2 p. ft
1000 " " " 2 " " 15 1/2 "
1000 " " " 3 " " 29 1/2 "

These prices are for immediately delivery at the Yard
For shipment from Mill we quote you.-

1 to 5000 ft. of 1 1/2 in. galvanized pipe 8 5/16 p. ft
1 to 5000 " " 2 "
1 to 5000

delivered at the Park. Terms net sixty days. 2% discount for Cash 30 days.

Yours Very truly,
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co
per Thos. M. Brooks

Bid of Hollman, Merrill & Fletcher.

S.F. Nov. 7. 98

Mr. J. McLaren Supt.
G.G. Park S.F. Cal.

Dear Sir,

In reply to yours of the 5th. inst., we are pleased to quote you the following prices on Galvanized Iron pipe.

	1000 ft. each.	5000 ft. each
1½"	11½ ¢	10.35
2"	15½ ¢	14 ¢
3"	29½ ¢	27 ¢

Cartage $1.25 per ton.

Weight per foot:- 1½" 2" 3"
2.68 3.61 7.54 lbs.

All prices are subject to change without notice
Hoping to be favored with Your Order, we remain,

Yours Respectfully
Hollman, Merrill & Fletcher
per Geo. P. Ayers

Bid of Miller, Hess & Scott.

S.F. Nov. 18/98

Mr. J. McLaren
G.G. Park S.F.

Dear Sir,

We are pleased to quote you the following prices.

5000 ft. 3" galvanized Pipe $27
2" " " 14
1½ " " 10.35
1000 ft. of same 3" " " 29.50
2" " " 15.25
1½" " " 11.25

Above prices are at

or cartage at the rate of 50 cts pr. ton.
Hoping that you will favor us with the above order, we remain,

Yours Very Truly
Miller, Shaw & Scott.
Pr. Ray.

Bid of Jas. A. Smith & Co.

S.F. Nov. 10/95

J.M. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
Dear Sir,

We quote you the following

1000 ft.	1½"	galv. pipe at	11.20
1000 "	¾"	" " "	15.20
1000 "	3"	" " "	29.40
5000 "	1½"	" " "	10.50
5000 "	¾"	" " "	13.90
5000 "	3"	" " "	27.75

Yours Resp't
Jas. A. Smith & Co.

Bid of C. Nelson

S.F. Nov. 9/95

J.M. McLaren.
Supt. G.G. Park S.F.
Dear Sir,

In reply to your valued inquiry of the 5th inst, I would be pleased to sell you from 1000 ft. upwards each size of galvanized pipe as follows,

1½" at 10.35¢ pr. ft.
¾" " 14¢ " "
3" " 27¢ " "

If you only require 1000 ft. of each size the prices would be as follows;

1½" at 11½¢ pr. ft
¾" " 15½¢ "
3" " 29½ "

Will pay cars on delivery of 50 feet and over. Subject to prior sale.

Bid of Crane Co

S.F. Nov. 17. 1898.

G.G. Park Commissioners
Park Lodge. Golden Park. City

Gentlemen,

On looking over your inquiry of Nov. 9th. for galvanized pipe, we find that your inquiry is for 3000 ft. of each of the following sizes. 3", 2" and 1½". On this quantity we beg to quote as follows,-

3"	27½ per ft.
2"	11½ " "
1½"	10.35 " "

These prices are for pipe from stock in San Francisco. Should you desire this pipe to come from the East, we should be pleased to submit you prices.

Awaiting your reply, in this regard, we are,

Yours very truly
Crane Co
H Crane Manager.

Bid of Phelps and Arnold.

S.F. Nov. 7. 1898.

Wm. J. McLaren Supt. G.G. Park.

Dear Sir,

Answering your inquiry of the 5th. we beg to quote a car load of galvanized pipe shipped direct from the Mill and delivered in about 30 days as follows. It would require about 1800 ft. of each to make a car load.

1800 ft. 3" galv.	7½
1800 " 2" "	12.50
1800 " 1½" "	9.25

[illegible] in San Francisco

We could not make a delivery at the Park without charge but would secure a very low rate of Cartage based upon the point of delivery required. If at the Entrance or near the Entrance the cartage would be less. Terms 60 days net 30% discount for cash.

Yours truly
Phelps & Arnold

Bid of W. P. Garratt & Co

S. F. Nov. 9. 1898.

Golden Gate Park Comrs
City.

Gentlemen,

Replying to yours of the 5th instant, we offer to furnish you the following pipe at prices named.

5000 ft. 3" galvanized pipe 27 3/4 per Ft
5000 " 2" " " 14 1/2 " "
5000 " 1 1/2" " " 10 1/2 " "

all delivered

Hoping these quotations may be satisfactory and that we may be favored with your Order, we remain,

Respectfully Yours
W. P. Garratt & Co.
A. L. Taylor Secy.

The following Bids for Sewer pipe were received

Gladding, McBean & Co

S F Nov 7/ 98

Mr. J. McLaren Supt. G.G. Park City.

Dear Sir,

We will deliver to you on Carboards at the tons a mile, on the cars in this City, our first a second quality sewer pipe of 6", 8" and 10" diameter and allow you the following discounts off the enclosed list of prices, to wit

First Quality pipe 50%
Second " " 75%

Any Orders which you may favor us with will receive our prompt and best attention

Yours truly

Oakland Art Pottery and Terra Cotta Wks.

Oakland. Nov. 18/98

Park Commissioners. G. G. Park. City.

Gentlemen

In answer to inquiry in regard to sewer pipe. I can furnish the size you ask for viz 6" 8" 10" - 2nd quality at a discount 75% from Card Rate. Cartage 65cts per ton to Park

Yours Respectfully
Jas. Miller
&

Bid of N. Clark & Son.

S.F. Nov. 15/98

J. McLaren. S.F.

Dear Sir

In reply to yours of November 14th asking quotations on car lots of 6" 8" and 10" first and second quality sewer pipe, we quote you as follows, to wit.

6"	1st quality sewer pipe delivered	$.15 per lin. ft net
8"	" " " "	.20 " " " "
10"	" " " "	.31 " " " "
6"	2nd " " " "	.08 " " "
8"	" " " "	.11 " " "
10"	" " " "	.11 " " "

As to second quality sewer pipe would say that we could not at all times deliver you a full car load of 10" but can deliver a car load of 6" or 8". We might possibly give you 3/4 of a car of 10" pipe and fill the balance of the car with 6" and 8".

Our terms are sixty days or 3% for cash within thirty days. The above prices are a discount of 50% on first quality sewer pipe and of 75% on second quality pipe, with cartage added at the rate of $.65 per ton. We give you these discounts in case you favor us with your order. - for branches with pipe.

Yours truly
N. Clark Sons

A. Steiger

S.F. Nov. 19. 1898

Jas. McLaren
Supt. G.G. Park

Dear Sir,

I will furnish as cars here No. 1 sewer pipe for card price less 50% and for No. 2 pipe 75 off list

Cartage to Park 01. pr. ton.

Trusting I may receive your Order.

I Remain,
Very Respectfully Yours
L.A. Steiger

R.P.M. Greeley

S.F. Nov. 18, '98

Board of Park Comrs.
G.G. Park City

Gentlemen,-

I understand that You wish to buy a lot of 6 & 10" Sewer pipe 2½ Quality. I have quite a large amount of it in Oakland that I can deliver to you at the Park at a discount of 75% from Card Rates

Yours respectfully
R.P.M. Greeley
14th & Franklin Sts Oakland Cal

1. The monthly Reports of Supt. McLaren for Otober and November 1898, were read and approved, and ordered filed

Police Reports The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive Bids for the hauling of sediment from Mountain Lake to Park East of Strawberry Hill

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Dec 1/98 were present,

Comr. A.B. Spreckels. (in the chair.)
F.W. Keile

The following business was transacted,

The following Bids for the hauling of Sediment from Mountain Lake to the Park were opened.

Jno C. Kinney.

S.F. Nov. 29. 1898

I Bid for hauling loam from around the Lake at the Procedion to Golden Gate Park. I propose to haul the stuff around the Lake and deliver it at this side of Strawberry Hill at $1.10 one dollar and 10 cts pr. load.

Farrell & Mahon.

Mr. McLaren.

We will load and haul material from Mountain Park to Golden Gate Park for the sum of fifty (50) cents per. yd

Respt. Farrell & Mahon.

P. O'Brien

G. G. Park

I agree to haul dirt from Mountain Lake to G. G. Park for fifty (50) ct. per. cu. yd

P. O'Brien

O. McHugh.

will do the hauling, loading and distributing the loam from Mountain Lake at the Presidio Reservation and deliver it any place East

Strawberry Hill for the sum of $.45 Forty five cents per cu. yd.

C. M. Daugh

J Tuttle.

S. F. Nov. 29/98

Mr. J McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
Sir,-

I propose to deliver Loam in the Park as directed from Mountain Sand for eighty cents per cubic yard

Respectfully submitted.
John Tuttle

McHugh & Sheerin

S. F. Nov. 29 '98

To the Honorable Golden Gate Park Commissioners
Gentlemen.

The undersign proposes and agree to haul the sediment from Mountain Sand to Cutler Sand Pit, east of Strawberry Hill at the rate of forty-four (.44) cents per cubic yard.

Respectfully,
McHugh & Sheerin
30 Montgomery St.

"11. Bid of McHugh & Sheerin being the lowest & best bid for the contract was awarded to them provided they deliver not less than 100 Loads per day

"The Board then adjourned

W Block

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comm held Dec. 31/98, were present.

Comm. A. B. Spruckels (in the chair)
" F. H. Zeile

The following [illegible]

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Warrants Warrants to the amount of $21,022.19 were examined & ordered paid

154 Labor Warrants amounting to	$ 13,345.70
61 Material " " "	7676.49
Total	$ 21,022.19

[illegible] read and approved & ordered paid

Letters from [illegible] read and approved & ordered filed

Donations & thanks

A communication & bill was received from Mr. Geo. Crocker. The Secty. was instructed to thank him for his kind donation to the Museum

Donation & thanks

Mr. W. J. Davis donated $50 towards establishing the Park, & the Secty was instructed to thank him for same

A communication was received from W. C. Hunting stating that Mr. C. S. Hopkins was going to donate some valuable paintings to the Museum. The Secty was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of same.

The communication received from Mr. A. C. Johnson

quail was denied, as they are getting rather scarce in

The Board then adjourned

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 18. 1899. were present.

Comr A. B Spreckels (in the Chair)
" F. W. Zeile.
" Wm. Metson.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The communication received from Mr. A. N. Vogelsang. Pres. of the Board of Fish Commissioners was considered, and the Secretary instructed to notify him that nothing could be done at present on account of lack of available funds, but that the proposition of an Aquarium would be considered the next fiscal year.

Jan. 27. 1899

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Jan: 27. 1899. were present,

Comr. A. B. Spuckels (in the chair)
" F. H. Zeile
" Wm. Metson (abs)

The following business was transacted,

Minutes | The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants | Warrant to the amount of $ 17,907.97 were examined and ordered paid.
254 Labor warrants amounting to $ 12,718.47
39 Material " " 5,189.50
$ 17,907.97

Supt's Report | The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Chief Ranger's Report | The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Confer with Merchants Ass'n | The communication received from the Merchants Association was considered and Comr. Zeile was appointed a Committee of one to confer with them relative to same.

Lake | A communication was received from W. James et al, relative to having a plant walk built at a certain part of Stow Lake for the purpose of facilitating the fishing of model yachts. The Comrs. agreed that it would not be a good plan to grant the request as that would have a tendency to spoil the general artistic and natural effect of the borders of the lake.
On motion of Comr. Zeile seconded by Comr. Lonergan, Supt. McLaren was instructed to discharge not less than 24 men at the end of the month
The Board then adjourned 12 o'clock Noon

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb 19 49 were present,

Comr. A. B Speckels (in the Chair.)
" T. H. Zeile
" Wm. H. Metson

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants to the amount of $ 17.746.35 were examined and ordered paid

229 Labor warrants amounting to $ 11,608.80
116 Material " " $ 6,137.55
17.746.35

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved, and on motion of Comr Zeile seconded by Comr. Metson the suggestions offered be accepted and acted upon.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

A Committee of gentlemen representing the H. Ave. Improvement Club appeared before the Board, and presenting a Petition to have H. Park from 1st Avenue. After a general discussion the Board favored an Opening from 13th Ave, the matter was left under advisement

Comr Zeile who had been appointed a Committee of one to confer with the Merchants Association relative to conveyances for the Park was granted further time in which to report.

A communication was received from Curator Nitcomb relative to a discrepancy in the number of works in Mr. Bandwell's collection donated to the

Museum, and the Report filed by the Board of Park Commissioners. The Commissioners understood the Shortage as accounted by Mr. Wilcomb it having been Mr. Bardwell's intention to donate 700 Specimens but he died before said amount was donated. The Museum having received but 584 Specimens up to date.

The Secty. was instructed to write to Mr. Bardwell's Sister in Boston, and See if She would Kindly donate the balance of the Collection as that had been Mr. Bardwell's intention.

Re, improvements of Museum. Relative to the Museum improvements the matter was left to Supt McLaren with power to act Said improvements being the Opening of Cases cleaning Specimens and labelling

Permission granting use of Rec. Ground. Permission was granted to the members Of the Basket Ball Team of the Y. M. C. C to use the Recreation Grounds on Wednesday Afternoons for practice

The Board then adjourned

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Mar. 13/99 were present,

Comr. A.B. Speckels (in the Chair)
" F.H. Tuke
" Wm. H. Thetson.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication was received from Geo. H. Collins Chairman Police Committee, Board of Supervisors and W.L. Lees, Chief of Police relative to supplying Incandescent Lights in the new Police Station on Stanyan St. After a general discussion the Secretary was instructed to notify them that the Commissioners are not in a position to supply them with Incandescent Lights, as they are not properly equipped, but would cheerfully put an arc light in front of Station if it was found to be necessary.

A communication was received from A. Wheeler, on behalf of the Burlingame Polo Club for permission to use the Recreation Grounds on Mar. 16/99. The Commissioners decided to grant them permission to use the lower grounds, they having originally been laid out for Polo purposes. Also that the Commissioners would like them to use the Meadow ree so that they could find out the Shot-comings and improve the said grounds to suit the game.

On motion of Comr. Tuke seconded by Comr. Thetson, Supt. Conlan was authorized to erect two more backstops on the Baseball grounds with a view of seeing whether to adopt the system or not

On motion of Comr. Tuke seconded by Comr. Thetson, the following [illegible]

Secretary instructed to have a copy engrossed and sent to Mr. Claus Spreckels for his liberal and generous donation. Also that the Same be spread upon the minutes of the Board.

Claus Spreckels in line with his previous acts of liberality and public spirit has offered to present to the citizens of San Francisco, through the Park Commissioners, the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars for the purpose of erecting a Music Stand in Golden Gate Park.

Be it therefore Resolved.- That the Park Commissioners accept the donation and in so doing express to Mr. Claus Spreckels for and on behalf of the citizens of San Francisco, unqualified approval and thanks for this the largest individual donation the Park has ever received, a donation which will enable the Commissioners to immediately erect, on a scale heretofore impossible, a structure which will be a permanent monument to the generous giver, an inspiration to the lovers of artistic architecture, an adornment to the Park, and a rare attraction to the thousands whose hours of recreation are spent there.

On motion of Comr. Pretsch seconded by Comr. Welch the entire construction of the Music Stand be left in the hands of Comr. Claus Spreckels.

On motion of Comr. Metson seconded by Comr. Welch the Commissioners accept the gift of a Flag presented by the sailors of the warship "McCullough" and tender their sincere thanks for the beautiful donation.

On motion of Comr Welch seconded by Comr. Metson it was moved and passed that whereas it is seldom necessary to call for the services of an Attorney, and for convenience Office of Attorney for the Board be abo-

Request to maintain Miniature Railroad

A communication was received from N. J. Scofield for permission to construct and maintain a miniature Rail. Road in the Childrens' Quarters. No action was taken in the matter.

The Board then adjourned.

11 O'Clock

V. P.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Mar. 29/99 at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. A. B. Speckels.
" F. H. Teile
" Wm H. Metson. (abs.)

The following business was transacted;

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants — Warrants to the amount of $ 16.081.38 were examined and ordered paid
244 Labor warrants amounting to $ 12 [illegible]
57 Material

Supts. Report — The monthly Report of Supt McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed, and on motion of Comr Teile seconded by Comr. Speckels the recommendations in the Report be carried out

Police Report. — The monthly Report of Capt Thomsen was read and ordered filed.

Donation Chas Crocker Residence. — A letter was received from Mrs L Angell, widow of the late John T Waddell, relative to the donation to the Museum. The Secretary was directed to acknowledge the receipt of same

Remedy for [illegible] — A communication was received from P. McKea relative to [illegible] some remedy to destroy Gnats. The same was referred to Supt McLaren

Bicycles — On motion of Comr Teile seconded by Comr Speckels it was moved and passed that coasting & Scorching by Bicyclists be stopped, and any one found doing so will be arrested. Supt McLaren was instructed to put on an additional man and Stars to try and stop the same
On motion of Comr Teile seconded

Speckels the following improvements suggested by Supt. McLaren were approved, and the same ordered done.

Wall around Lake.
Stair " "
Extension of Meadow.
Loam for "
Cases for Museum
Wall to Chain of Lakes Station from New Lake.
Wall to Fulton from Fell along west line of Stanyan St.
Guard rock for wall along west line of Stanyan St.

K. driveway at 1st Avenue

A committee from the Pt. Lobos Improvement Club appeared before the Board relative to having a Driveway made into the Park at 1st Avenue Supt. McLaren was instructed to go over the ground with Pres. Fletcher and to report at the next meeting

Electric Fixtures

On motion of Comm. Zeile seconded by Comm. Speckels it was moved and passed that Supt. McLaren have four new Cases made for the Museum.

V. V. Stock
Secty.

Special meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 20/99. were present

Comr. A.B. Speckels (in the Chair)
" F.H. Teile
" Wm H. Metson.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Bids for Loam

The following Bids for Loam were received.

Bid of F. L. Sherin

S.F. Apr. 13/99

The Hon. Golden Gate Park Commissioners
Gentlemen.

The undersigned proposes to deliver 10,000 cubic yards loam in Golden Gate Park as designated by Jno. McLaren Eq. at the rate of Sixty-five Cents (.65) pr. cubic yard

Respectfully
F. L. Sh...

Bid of Union Paving & Contracting Co

S.F. Apr. 18/99

Board of Park Commissioners,
of Golden Gate Park. Park Office City

Gentlemen

We are pleased to reply to yours of 5th inst. and state that we will deliver to you in the neighborhood of Waterring Bid the loam required as per your letter at 65/ cts per yd

Respectfully
Union Paving & Contracting Co

Bid of O. McHugh.

S.F. Apr. 14. 1899.

To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners,

Gentlemen-

I will deliver to Golden Gate Park west of the Speed Track (10,000) Ten thousand yards of the very best quality of black loam for the sum of $.09½ pr. cubick yard

Owen McHugh

710 Baker St.

Bid of P. McHugh

S.F. Apr. 15. 1899.

The Hon. Golden Gate Park Commissioners

Gentlemen,

The undersigned proposes and agrees to furnish and deliver in Golden Gate Park ten thousand (10,000) cubic yards loam, as per your circular for ninety days and one half cents ($.97½) per cubic yard.

Peter McHugh.

3908 Clay St.

Bid of E. Kenny

S.F. Apr. 14. 1899

To Golden Gate Commissioners,

Gentlemen:

I propose to haul loam as stated for 98 cts per. yard.

Edmund Kenny

2733 Pine St.

Bid of P. Broderick & Co

S.F. Apr. 14. 1899

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners,

Gentlemen,

I will furnish 10,000 cubic yds. of loam and comply with your letter of the date dated March 8th. 1899 for .98¢ per. cubic yard

P. Broderick & Co Contractors

No. 9 Hayman Ave City

N.B. Please refer to my proposition of June 15th. 1898 when I agree to furnish 50,000 yds for (65¢) pr. cubic ya.

ntract for
n/awarded

The Bid of T. L. Sheerin being the lowest the Contract was awarded to him on the condition that he submits a good sample, and shows permission where he gets the Foam, also whether he has the required [illegible].

ject for
Museum.

Relative to the new cases for the Museum, the matter was referred to Com. Veale to report at the next meeting.

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Buffalo.

Relative to the disposing of some Buffalo, the matter was referred to Supt. McFarlane with power to dispose of one pair for $500.

d on
ncrete Wall

Action was deferred, relative to the bid of Gray Bros for Concrete Wall along Hampton St

[illegible] Board [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held April 27/99 were present,

Comr. A.B. Speckels (in the Chair.)
" F.W. Zeile.
" Wm. H. Metson

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed, and on motion of Comr. Zeile seconded by Comr. Metson the suggestions in the Report be carried out.

Capt.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomsen was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ 17.927.30 were examined and ordered paid

Labor warrants amounting to 14943.75
Material " " " 2983.55
$ 17927.30

The following Bids for Hose were received

Bid of Kelbrook, Merrill & Stetson

[illegible]

[illegible] June of the 27th inst., we are pleased to quote you 2000 ft. more or less, of the fully Guaranteed Rubber Garden Hose.

[illegible] $ [illegible] per ft. [illegible] $ [illegible] per ft.

[illegible]

[illegible] your order, we remain

Yours Respectfully,
Kelbrook, Merrill & Stetson.
Per. [illegible]

Bid of Bowers Rubber Co

S.F. Apr. 27. 1899

Board of Park Commissioners.
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen,

We propose and hereby agree to furnish
4 ply Rubber Hose, as follows.

1 in 4 ply Fire Cock		1.- per ft.
1 1/2 " 4 " " "		24c " "
1 " 4 " Seal Rock		16c " "
1 1/4 " 4 " " "		20c " "

The above quoted hose is a Cotton jacket hose made in our San Francisco factory. The Cock Hand is the best that can be made from Cotton duck and rubber. It has been used in your Park for several years, and we trust your Superintendent finds it satisfactory. The Seal Rock is a high grade of hose sold largely for railroads, steam boats, and for general work where a good hose is required. Hoping you will continue to give us preference to this home product, we await your commands

Yours truly,
Bowers Rubber Co
W. H. Bowers

Bid of Goodyear Rubber Co.

S. F. Apr [illegible]

Hon. Board of Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen: [illegible]
of the 22nd inst, asking us to put in a bid on 2000 ft. more or less of 1 1/2 in 4 ply Cotton Rubber Hose, we are pleased to quote you as our best figure in the 1 1/2" 4 ply 24c per foot, and on the 1" 4 ply at 19c per foot. This hose has 4 ply [illegible] duck, guaranteed in every particular.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory, and that we will receive the order, we remain, Yours very truly, [illegible]

Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co.

S.F. Apr. 26/99

To the Hon. Board of Park Comrs
of Golden Gate Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen.

We herewith beg to submit our bid for Rubber Hose for the season of 1899 as follows;

2000 ft. more or less of { 1in. 4 ply Ridgewood Brand Hose @ .30 p.ft
1" " " " .24½ "

1000 ft. more or less of { 1" " " Tallabosa " .15c "
1½" " " " .18½ "

The above brands of Hose are warranted to be free of pin holes, and any imperfections in manufacture.

Respectfully submitted by.
Very truly yours
The Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co
Wm H Stanton.

Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co

S.F. Apr. 26/99

To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners
of Golden Gate Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen.

We herewith beg to submit our bid for Rubber Hose for the season of 1899 as follows;

1000 ft. more or less of { 1" 4 ply Ridgewood Brand Hose @ 37½ p.ft
1½" " " " .33 "

(Carbolized)

Our 1" brand of hose is fully warranted free from defects in manufacture, and capable of doing the work required of it.

Respectfully submitted by
Very truly yours
The Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co
Wm H Stanton

Ted of New York Belt & Packing Co.

S.F. Cal. Apr. 25. 1899

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen,

We will furnish you with 2000 feet more or less, of our following brands of Hose at prices below mentioned viz:

		First.	Quick	Net per ft.
1 1/4 ply	"Double Diamond"	.51	50 10%	.22 1/2
1" 4 "	"Carbon"	.50	60-10-10%	.18
1 1/4" 4 "	"Double Diamond"	.64	50-10%	.279
1 1/4" 4 "	"Carbon"	.62	60-10-10%	.20

Our "Double Diamond" Hose is made of the heaviest duck and a fine quality of Para rubber and we can guarantee it for a period of two years. Our "Carbon" Hose is a good serviceable article and while not made of as heavy duck or quite as pure a quality of rubber, will give good service.

These goods are both standard brands of ours and have been on the market for many years and we can recommend either of them to be good hose. We will deliver the hose free of charge at Golden Gate Park, and trust we will receive your order.

Yours respectfully,
New York Belting & Packing Co.
per [illegible]

Ted of Revere Rubber Co.

S.F. Apr. 25. 1899

C.O. Block, Secty. Board of Park Comrs. Golden Gate Park City

Dear Sir,- We beg to submit herewith our best prices on 2000 ft. more or less of rubber hose as follows:-

Granite 1-1/2" 4 ply	-	27 1/2 c per ft.
" 1" " "		22 1/2 c " "
Shawmut 1-1/4" 4 "		20c
" 1 " 4 "		17c " "

The Granite is an extremely fine grade and will stand heavy pressure and hard usage. We will give excellent [illegible]

and the best of results.
The Shawmut is also of fine quality and is fully equal to what some other manufacturers would call very best grade of hose. It is an excellent hose for the money and has good wearing qualities.
Our product is fully guaranteed and should any of our hose give out through fault or defect in manufacture, we will replace same at our expense on return of defective length to us. We will be pleased to submit 50 ft. lengths of hose for your inspection should you so desire
If favored with your orders, same shall have our best and careful attention
Yours very truly
Revere Rubber Co
per. A T Dunbar.
Agt.

Contract { Barney & Berry Co. and Goodyear Rubber Co. being lowest bidders, the contract was awarded to them, half to go to each bidder.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners
held (illegible) at the Parks;

Present (illegible)

(illegible)

(illegible)

The following business was transacted;

(illegible) Upon motion of (illegible) it was unanimously
(illegible)

(illegible)

(illegible)

The Board then adjourned.

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eting

A special meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on May 16, '99. Were present:
Com A B. [illegible]
" F. W. Bell;
" A. H. Morton.

[illegible]

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The minutes of the last regular monthly meeting were read, [illegible]

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ame.

On motion of Com. Morton-seconded by Com. Bell the President was authorized to negotiate with Lewis to [illegible]
[illegible]
Contracting Co. in relation to [illegible]
Alma Park Pavement & [illegible]
It was moved that the Company be required to fill the original contract and [illegible] according to [illegible].
[illegible]
a permit from the Board of Supervisors to allow the [illegible] to have been given the Alma-Irvine Electric Ry Co [illegible]

ndent

The letter from W. C. [illegible] relative to the [illegible] Improvement in charge of the Supervisors was read to the Board [illegible]

ortgage.

A motion was made and carried that a petition [illegible] to the Board [illegible] to the South side of [illegible] and Channel Improvement [illegible].

to
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A letter from [illegible] and [illegible] was read [illegible] Advertising the Commissioners [illegible] and [illegible] Fire Alarm Line and [illegible]

The Board then adjourned

[illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 24, 1904, were present.

Com. A. B. Sowers (in the chair)
" F. W. Gale.

[illegible]

[illegible] The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed, and on motion made that the suggestions be [illegible]

[illegible] The report was read and approved [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] A letter of thanks to Mrs. [illegible] collection of antique furniture from [illegible] was read.

Meeting | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on June 26/09 were present,

Com. A.B. Sorenson (in the chair)
" F.W. Gale.
" W.N. Morton.

[illegible]

Minutes | The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report | The monthly report of Supt McLean was read and approved and ordered filed.

Asst's Report | The monthly report of Capt Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Purchase of horse | On motion of Com. Morton, seconded by Com. Gale it was resolved that horses should be bought from Miller and Co., at the [illegible]

[illegible]

Bill for hay | The bill of Gray Bros. for [illegible] was read and examined and ordered paid.

Light Fountain | The matter appearing to the Light Fountain Co. to [illegible] for a Park charge to each [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] | Com. [illegible] moved that [illegible] be accepted for the Summer by the Council of the Council and by the Park Commissioners.

[illegible] Trees | On motion of Com. Gale seconded by Com. Morton permission was granted to Clint and Harvey.

[illegible] trees | The question of [illegible] was granted to the [illegible] to Com. Gale with Coins to act.

[illegible] | It was decided to have the spring water [illegible] similar to the one at the South end of the [illegible] gradient on the Park

Warrants to the amount of 30,755.81 were examined and
ordered filed

Labor accounts [illegible] $ 18,369.15
Material " " 11,886.66

The Board then adjourned.

Wm H Furman.

Clerk.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 20, 1899. Present:

Comr. C. B. Lorenzen, (in the chair)

[illegible]

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved:

Commissioner Gill reported that the vehicle guaranteed by the Pacific Carriage Co. for transportation on the Park, was running regularly, and pronounced to be a perfect convenience.

The matter relating to the Eight-Corner Lamp was left in the hands of the Attorney of the Board.

Judge Gardner's charge of encroachment by adjacent property owners of the Boat House was referred to the next meeting of the Board when the matter will be thoroughly investigated.

The matter of [illegible]

[illegible]	On motion of Comr. Gill seconded by Comr. Dickson the bids [illegible]
rejected	were rejected the [illegible]
[illegible]	The matter of [illegible]
work.	for the year ending [illegible]
[illegible]	It was decided to advertise [illegible]
[illegible]	On motion [illegible]
	increased to [illegible] 250 per [illegible]

On motion it was [illegible] that the Park Board [illegible] and the [illegible] be increased to the [illegible]

The Board then [illegible]

July 1st | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 28th 1899 were present,

Comr. A. B. Spreckels, (in the chair.)
" F. W. Gale.
" W. H. Mills.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes | The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and ordered filed.

Supt's Report | The Superintendent's monthly report was read and approved and the suggestions ordered to be carried out.

Police Report | Captain Hamilton's monthly report was read and approved.

Communication | In reply to a communication from the Secretary of the Los Angeles Park Society requesting plans and small model of any description, the Secretary was instructed to notify him that the Commissioners had no model to show much to their regret.

[illegible] | [illegible]

[illegible] | [illegible]

S. F. July 14/99.

[illegible]

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held [illegible]

Com. A. B. Spreckels (in the chair)

[illegible]

Minutes — The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and ordered filed.

Fulton St. wall — The communication from Gray Bros. agreeing to construct a stone wall on Fulton St. for the sum of [illegible] was ordered placed [illegible]

On regard to a communication from the Board of Supervisors [illegible] of 1900 asking for the loan of cuts of pick and gun [illegible] ers could not oblige them as the cuts of such implements not in good condition and it would necessitate a large expenditure in order to renovate them properly. As the game heads were desirable and would not stand the test it was decided they could not be loaned.

Memorial Services — Permission was granted the Garfield League to hold memorial services at the Garfield monument on Lincoln [illegible]

Flag — The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for [illegible] flag [illegible] Com. Spiro seconded by Com. Dieterich the following bids for [illegible] flag were rejected being too high:

Bid of Edmund Kenny.

Dated [illegible]

To the Golden Gate Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen:

I propose to furnish 25x20 yards of [illegible] more or less for one dollar [illegible]

Edmund Kenny.

2433 Pine St.

Bid of Owen McHugh.

S. F. Aug. 10th - 99.

The Honorable Board of Park Commissioners,
[illegible]

Gentlemen,

The undersigned proposes and agrees to [illegible] cubic yards loam at the following price- ninety five cents (95 cts) per cubic yard.

Respectfully,
Owen McHugh.
710 Baker St.

[illegible]

[illegible]

To Honorable Board of Park Commissioners,

[illegible]

We desire to submit the following bids for the furnishing and delivering hay to the Park Stables.
Fifty tons first-class wheat hay at Eleven dollars 25/100 ($11.25) per ton.
Fifty tons first class brown oat at Ten dollars 25/100 ($10.25) per ton.

Yours truly,
Egan Bros.
8084860 Harrison St.
S. F.

Bid of H. P. Smith & Son.

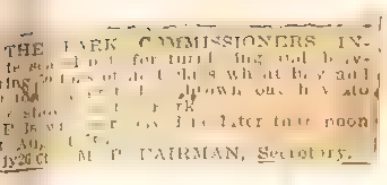
S. F. Aug. 5- 99.

[illegible]

Secretary of Golden Gate Park Commissioners,

We the undersigned agree to furnish [illegible] more or less of first-class wheat hay at 10 22/100 - Ten dollars and twenty-two cents per ton - and Fifty tons of first-class brown oat-hay at $9 32/100 - Nine dollars and thirty two cents per ton.

Submitted by
H. P. Smith & Son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[illegible] for furnishing and delivering
[illegible] of the Chute's wheat hay and
[illegible] shown on the plans and
[illegible] on file in the office of the Secretary, until
[illegible] M. P. FAIRMAN, Secretary.

1st bid of E. Vigeltinger.

S. F. Aug. 3 '99.

To the Honorable, the Board of Park Commissioners.
Gentlemen.

I the undersigned will furnish you and deliver as wanted to the Park Stables

50 Tons of Choice No 1 Wheat Hay @ $11.00/100 per ton
50 " " " " Red Oat " @ $10.00 "
or No 2 Wheat Hay @ $10.00/100 per ton.

Resp. yours.
E. Vigeltinger

2nd bid of E. Vigeltinger.

S. F. Aug. 4th.

To the Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners

Gentlemen.

On submitting my bid for hay to you I figured on allowing it from time to time as desired by you. If however you would like it at this time I can reduce the hay to the following. Choice hay to $10.00/100 per ton, and reduce Oat hay to [illegible]

Very truly yours,
E. Vigeltinger.

Bid of Scott and Magner.

S. F. Aug 4

To the Honorable, the Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen.

In accordance with your advertised inviting bids for hay, we beg to submit as follows.

We will deliver to your stables in this city.

50 tons of first class Schwartzay at $10.
50 " " " Timothy at $10.

Very respectfully yours
Scott and Magner

The Board then adjourned

Secretary.

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held August 24th, there were present

Com A. B. Spreckels (in the chair)
" F. W. Zeile
" W. H. Metson

The following business was transacted:

Supt's Report

The Superintendent's monthly report was read, approved and ordered filed

Police report

Captain Thomas's Police Report was read approved and ordered filed.

Bills & Demands

Warrants to the amount of $17,681.26 were examined and ordered paid
31 Miscellaneous warrants amounting to $3,637.90
31 Materials "

Petition filed

On motion of Com. Zeile seconded by Com. Metson the Petition of the Sunset District Improvement Club asking that an entrance to Golden Gate Park be established at H. St and 19th Ave., was ordered filed for further reference

Electric light on Fulton St

On motion was made and carried that Supervisors be authorized to extend the light now on Fulton St. as far as 1st Ave.

Donation of Eucalyptus

The donation of small Eucalyptus trees from Eliza D. Keith was accepted with the reservation that the Commissioners direct [illegible]

Canoe landed

The donation of Mr. Johnson consisting of a native canoe from the Philippine Islands was accepted with thanks

Concerts

Commissioners were granted leave of absence to Supervisors Sullivan and Dunlap to distribute programmes that the records [illegible] of them after each concert

Resolution was passed:

Whereas [illegible]
in the Japanese Tea Garden, and speaks the Japanese language
and has had experience with the natives of that country and
has [illegible]

Resolved that

-Geo. T. March be and he is hereby appointed as
advisory manager, under and subject to the direction of the
Board and of its Superintendent, John McLaren, of the Japanese
Tea Garden.

Relative to the bids for hay advertised for by the Park Commissioners, that of C. Augellinger was accepted, he being the lowest bidder.

Following are the bids:

San Francisco March 16, 1896.

Office of Somers & Co.
564 Sixth St

The Honorable Board of Park Commissioners.
-Golden Gate Park

Gentlemen:

We beg to submit herewith our sealed proposal
to furnish One hundred tons of choice quality, cured wild oat hay,
hay, and Fifty tons of choice quality cured barley hay, delivered
and Twenty five cents ($0.25) per ton delivered to Stow Lake, the
hay to be made from [illegible]
upon inspection and the best quality is [illegible]

Office of [illegible]
[illegible]
To the Hon. the Board of [illegible]

Gentlemen: I hereby agree to furnish from June
to June [illegible]
to the [illegible]

or if you want wild oat First class instead Red @ 9 50/100 per ton.

Respectfully,
E. Aigeltinger.

S. F. Aug. 25/99.

Office of E. Aigeltinger.
1760-4 Ellis St.
To the Hon. The Board of Park Com.

Gentlemen:

I will sell and deliver to the Park Stables

50 Tons First class wheat Hay @ 9 70/100 Per ton
50 " " Red oat " " 9 50/100
or 50 " No 1 wild oat instead of Red oat @ 9.75 Per Ton
if you take the hay at once

Respectfully,
E. Aigeltinger

The Board Then adjourned

Secty

At a regular Meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held September 27/99 were present:

Com. A. B. Spreckels, (in the Chair)
" F. W. Zeile.
" W. H. Metson.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants to the amount of $1,588.83 were examined and ordered paid.

234 Labor warrants amounting to $1,935.50
61 Material warrants " " 653.33
$2,588.83

The Supt's monthly Report was read and approved and on motion duly carried the suggestions and recommendations in same be accepted and acted upon.

The monthly Report of Captain Thomson was read and ordered filed.

The offer of [illegible] mineral specimens to the Park Museum was declined with thanks, owing to the crowded condition of the Mineral department.

On the Insurance Policies on the Park Stables, Horses, Harness and Feed expiring on October 1st of this year, on motion of Com. Metson seconded by Com. Zeile, it was decided to renew them in the same Companies (Fireman's Fund, and Hamburg Bremen Fire Insurance Co's.) for the term of three years.

In regard to the commencement of Chapter 6, with requesting permission to build cages in the Park, where deer would be planted it was agreed That the request could not be acceded to as the plan of the Commissioners on recommendation of their Superintendent, had always leaned toward the thinning out of trees rather than the planting of additional ones.

On motion of Com. Zeile seconded by Com. Metson, the offer of the American Steel and Wire Co. To erect a deer fence around the Polo Meadow free of Charge was accepted with thanks

Statues accepted

The marble statues 'The Emancipation' by J. Ball, 1873 and a marble bust of General Sherman presented by Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Crocker to the Park Museum was accepted and the Secretary instructed to convey to the donors the gratitude of the Commissioners.

[illegible] granted permission

A communication from Hon. Robert Hall McCormick was presented requesting that permission be granted the Paris Exposition Commission to take such specimens as they wish of the Fish Exhibit at the Park Museum with the understanding that they give a surety bond, and insure [illegible] against loss by fire and perils of the sea.

Polo Club

The Burlingame Polo Club was granted permission to use the Recreation Grounds on Wednesday, October 4th.

No police using old saddles

Superintendent McLaren was instructed to have the Park Police use their old saddles on inclement days.

No Bicycle Ordinance

It was decided to have two extra men on bicycles every Sunday to enforce the bicycle ordinance.

Yearly Report

In regard to the Yearly Report it was agreed to have the interior views uncolored, and the outside views colored.

The meeting then adjourned.

M. R. Furman
Secty

...ng | Regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 24/99 were present:

Com. A. D. Spreckels (in the chair)
" H. Wilson

The following business was transacted:

...utes | The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

...rants. | Warrants to the amount of $19,147.12 were examined and ordered paid.
243 Labor warrants amounting to $13,456.70
3 Material " " "

...T's Report. | The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and on motion duly carried, the suggestions and recommendations be accepted and acted upon.

...s Report. | The monthly report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

...rection ...ignal- | In regard to a communication from the Merchants Association requesting the advisability of erecting signs to designate the stopping places of the Park wagons, it was decided to grant them permission to do so, with the understanding that the signs on the vehicles be removed.

...st. for ...refused | The application of Nicholas Williams requesting permission to erect a stand for the purpose of conducting an Ice Cream Cafe opposite the Seal Rock House, was refused.

...tion of ...l | The Secretary was instructed to convey to Co. M, 1st Regiment Vol. Infantry, the thanks of the Commissioners for the donation of a young goat brought from Negros Island, P.I.

...ncluding ...ing of ...mission- | In regard to the Resolution passed by the Park Commissioners Cycling Club, depreciating and deploring the reckless riding indulged in by wheelmen in G.G. Park it was decided to have the same published in all the daily papers and a letter of thanks sent to the Club.

...ntrance | The matter relating to an entrance to the Park being made at

No Order for Yearly Report

Relative to the bids for furnishing the Yearly Report, that of Warren R. Brant was accepted, he being the lowest bidder.

Following are the bids:

San Francisco, Oct. 13, 1899.

Park Commissioners, Golden Gate Park,

We will furnish 1600 Annual Reports, 1000 to be bound with paper covers, and 600 with cloth, including inserts of colored plates, for the sum of $1160.00

And addition of 1M - paper covers - $17.50 - if ordered before execution of Press Work of first 1600 copies.

Hoping to be favored with the order,

Respectfully,

Brant.

Per A. F. Broad.

S. F. Oct. 14/99.

Wm. Newman, Esq:

Sec. G. G. Park Ass'n

Dear Sir,

Replying to yours Sept. 30, beg to say that we will furnish you with Report to your specifications, which are as follows: 1000 to be bound in paper cover, 600 to be bound in cloth. The paper to be used shall be equal to sample, and copy of the work to be executed in first class condition, and [illegible] reasonable length of time after receiving copy. Price $3.15. 1000 additional copies bound in paper covers, will cost $65.

Hoping to have an early order, we are

Respectfully

Vandewalker & Norton

S. F. Oct 11/99.

Board of Park Commissioners -

Gentlemen,

We [illegible] the following estimate:

1600 Copies Report. . $3.15.

1000 to be bound paper covers.
600 " " Cloth

[illegible] bound paper covers - $40.00

Very respectfully.

[illegible]

S. F. Oct 14/99.

To the Commissioners
Golden Gate Park.
Gentlemen.

I will print and deliver 2600 copies Annual Report six hundred of same to be bound in cloth and stamped on side in gold. Twenty six colored plates will be inserted in each book. Paper and work to be similar to that of sample copy furnished, — for the sum of two hundred & seventy five dollars ($275.00)

Respectfully yours,
E. C. Hughes.

S F Oct 14/99

Cf. of Park Commissioners,
W. H. Newman, Esq. Secty
Dear Sir,
We take pleasure in quoting as follows on reports ordered [illegible]

600 " " cloth covers; $340.00
600 paper.
1000 extra paper covers; $35.00

[illegible]

Meeting | At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 28/99. there present:

(Comd Ch Streeter in the Chair)

" C. H. Wilson

Minutes - | The minutes of the former meeting were read and adopted

Accounts. | The [illegible] of the account of [illegible] were examined and [illegible]

[illegible]

Supts Report | The [illegible] Report of Supt [illegible] was read and [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Report | The [illegible] Report of Caretaker [illegible] was read

Request for | [illegible]
millage | [illegible]

Vacancies | [illegible]
[illegible] | [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec 26th 1899. Present

Commissioners A. B. Spreckels. (in the chair)
" J. W. Zeile.
" W. H. Metson.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants to the amount of $17.212.55/100 were examined and ordered paid = viz

249 Labor warrants amounting to $13174.20
48 Material " " " 4038.35
$17.212 55

The monthly report of Supt Mc Laren was read and approved and on motion duly carried, the suggestions and recommendations be accepted and acted upon.

On motion of Com Zeile, seconded by Com Metson the application of James Johnston for employment in the park was placed on file.

In regard to the communication from Irving M Scott relative to Helen W Foules' Mission Studies in the Park museum it was decided there was no available funds to purchase said studies.

On motion of Com Metson seconded by Com Zeile it was decided to grant the request of the University of California for the loan of some surplus glass cases owned by the Park. On motion duly carried the loan of a marble bust of George Washington, sculptured by D Biasiole, for the Park museum was refused.

It was moved by Com Metson and seconded by Com Zeile that bicycles with dogs attached be forbidden the use of the Park. On motion of Com Metson seconded by Com Zeile it was decided to enforce the rule of prohibiting automobiles on the Park, by arresting the offenders and taking possession of the Automobile.

It was decided that hereafter no loans, be accepted for the Park Museum, without a signed receipt from the owner of said loans accepting full responsibility in case of damage to the property, by fire or any other cause.

There being no further business the meeting then adjourned.

M. A. Mc

1st Meeting

The first regular meeting of the Park Commissioners appointed under the provisions of the New Charter took place at the Park Lodge January 8th 1899: 1400
There were present Commissioners F W Zeile
Commissioner A. Sutro.
Commissioner W M McDonald
Commissioner R.H Lloyd.
Commissioner Jno. A Stanton

On motion made by Com Zeile and seconded by Com Lloyd Com W M McDonald was appointed temporary chairman and Com Stanton temporary secretary.

First on the regular order of business being the classification of the members of the Commission: determining their terms of office.

On motion made by Com Lloyd and seconded by Com Zeile it was Resolved that the classification of the term of office of the members be entered in the minutes and a copy certified by and signed by all the Commissioners, and by the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, the motion being put was carried.

The certified copy reads as follows

City & Main reclassification

Office of the Park Commissioners of the
City and County of San Francisco.
Park Office January 8th 1900

The first meeting of the Park Commissioners appointed under the charter of the City and County of San Francisco [illegible] at the hour of [illegible] past [illegible] o'clock P.M. there were present, Com Zeile, Commissioner McDonald presiding, Com Stanton secretary pro tem and Commissioner Sutro arriving before it was [illegible] that the question of the term of office of the members of the Board of Commissioners should be determined by lot, it was moved by Commissioner Lloyd seconded by Commissioner McDonald that the terms of office of the members of the Board of Commissioners be determined by lot, it was moved by Commissioner Lloyd seconded by Commissioner McDonald that Commissioner Zeile should draw for the full term, Commissioner Sutro should draw for four years, Commissioner McDonald for two years, Commissioner Lloyd for one year, Commissioner Stanton for three years, which was carried unanimously.

Whereupon, on motion, it was ordered that the Secretary of this Board enter such classification in the record of the proceedings of this Board of this day, and make a copy thereof, to be certified by the Secretary of the Commission and signed by all of the members of said Board, and the Secretary shall thereupon file such certified copy, with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of this City and County.

I, Philip J. Fay, clerk of the Park Commission of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the minutes of the proceedings of the first meeting of the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in the relation to the determination and classification by lot of said Commissioners as to the term of their respective offices.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand at the office of said Commissioners in the City and County of San Francisco, this tenth day of January A D 1900

Philip J Fay.

We the Park Commissioners certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of the minutes of the first meeting held by the Park Commissioners so far as their proceedings relates to the classification of said commissioners, pursuant to

signed: A.B. Spreckels.
Fred W. Zeile.
M. J. McDonald
John A. Stanton.
R. H. Lloyd.

Next order came the election of President of the Board of Park Commissioners for the ensuing year, on motion made by Com Zeile seconded by M. Lloyd Com Spreckels was unanimously elected to the position of President of the Board of Park Commissioners.

Com Spreckels took the chair and the Board proceeded to the election of a permanent Secretary, Nominations being in order M. Philip Fay he was placed in nomination by Com Zeile seconded by Com McDonald for position of Secretary of the Board with salary fixed at $125.00 per month and furthermore that the secretary be required to file a bond of $5000.00 said bond to be approved of by the Mayor and Auditor and filed with the Auditor.

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made

Nominations being closed and the motion of Com Zeile being put to the Board, Mr Philip J. Fay was elected to the position of secretary of the Board.
On motion of Mr Lloyd seconded by Com Zeile; Miss M B. Hammon was placed in nomination for the position of book keeper, at a salary of $100.00 per month with bonds fixed at $2,500.00. The motion being put was carried and Miss Hammon was elected to fill the position of book keeper.
It was resolved by the Board that the Secretary and Supt of the Park proceed at once to the public squares in city of San Francisco now under the jurisdiction of the Board of Park Commissioners, and after discussion with reference of said squares with the exception of the road way, that they proceed to take an inventory of the existing arrangement to the different squares, and report the result of their investigation at the next meeting of the Board.

The commission adjourned to meet Wednesday June 4th at 11 oclock, Park Lodge.

Jno A Stanton
Secretary pro tem

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held January 16th 1899 at Park Lodge.
Were present-

Com- Speckels Pres
" R. H. Lloyd
" Jno. A Stanton
" Zeile
" McDonald.

The following business was transacted

Minutes of previous meeting taken by Com Stanton acting as temporary secretary were read and approved, and ordered spread on regular minute book.

Com Lloyd introduced certificate of classification of Park Commissioners which was ordered spread upon minutes of previous meeting, and filed with the Clerk of the Board of supervisors.

The secretary proceeded to read communications and report of investigations made by Supt McLaren of the various Parks and squares as per instructions received at previous meeting

Com McDonald moved that the report be accepted and the number of men suggested by the Supt. be employed to maintain the Parks and Squares now under cultivation. On amendment of Com Zeile and accepted by Com McDonald the following was adopted, and the Supt. empowered to employ

At Alms Square	1	gardener and	3 laborers
" Alta "	1	" "	2 "
" Lafayette "	1	" "	1 "
" Hamilton "	1	" "	2 "
" South Park		" "	1 "
" Union "	1	" "	1 "
" Washington			1 "
" City Hall Grounds	1	" "	2 "
" Jefferson Square	1	" "	2 "
" Garfield	1		
" Columbia	1	" "	1 "
" Portsmouth			

It was understood and agreed that this Commission strictly adhere to provision made by the charter as to the wages of laborers, which is (2.00) Two dollars per day and (8) eight hour constitute a days.

Com Stanton was empowered to purchase a blackboard and paraphernalia for same, to be used in this office

The secretary was instructed to acknowledge receipt and extend thanks for the donations received during the past week at the museum.

The secretary was also instructed to communicate with the Chief of Police and in conformity with the Charter Sec 7 of Art 14- request him to detail the same Police Officers as have been heretofore [illegible]

On motion of Com Speckels it was agreed to hold the regular meetings of the Commission on the and last Saturdays of the month.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to meet at the call of the Pres[illegible]

Philip[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held January 27th 1906

Were present Comr. Spreckels (in chair)
Comr. Zeile.
Comr Stanton.
Comr McDonald.
Comr Lloyd.

The following business was transacted

Minutes of previous meeting read and appro.

Supt McLaren's monthly report read and approved on motion of Comr Zeile the recommendations and suggestions be accepted and the Supt be empowered to carry out same with the exception of [illegible] which matter was left to further consideration of the commissioners

The Supt was instructed to call upon Mr Howard of the Spring Valley Water Wks. and make arrangements to have water supplied to the squares & parks - and report such arrangements to the commissioners, for action -

A communication from the Goethe - Schiller Monument Commit requesting the commissioners to approve of the site where for the said monument was and [illegible] abbreved -

Statuary &c The Secy was instructed to get complete list of all the trees & shrubs owned by the park in the various Quarters - also a list of trees & shrubs claimed by the management of said quarters

Secy was instructed to send bill to the Police Commissioners for the boarding and keeping of the horses used by the mounted police in the parks at the rate of $20 ~~00~~

It was resolved that hereafter no cut flowers or plants should be given to any organization institution or person (except for charitable purposes) without first having [illegible] from the Board of [illegible]

Warrants to the amount of [illegible] were approved and ordered paid.

Labor - $ 1361480
Material - $ 400164

The Board then adjourned.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park lodge July 3. 1900

Present Comr Spreckels in chair
Comr Zeile
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Lloyd.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communications read and secty instructed to acknowledge same; also to state in answer to Olmstead Bros request for photos & maps for exhibition purposes that the time allowed is too short for the commissioners to make a proper exhibit therefore repectfully decline:-

On motion of Comr Lloyd duly carried Comr Zeile was appointed a committee of one to confer with Mr J. T. Marsh in regard to the ownership of the plants, shrubs and articles in the Japanese Garden and also to improve on the present system of management and report the result to the commissioners for action

The secty was instructed to communicate with the proper authorities to have the ash bin situated on the Mcallister st side of the City Hall grounds removed.

On motion of Comr Zeile duly carried, the Supt was instructed to allot grounds and spaces for the planting and cultivation of flowers in groups, so as to be view collectively during their season and make the massing display one of special features in the park.

On motion of Comr Zeile the Supt was instructed to report at the next meeting to plant trees, so that a cathedral effect might be obtained, also to suggest the kind of trees

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At a special meeting held 5th July 1860 in the Board Office
Were present Commissioners Speechly in chair.
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Tait

Secty read communication and was instructed to draft reply for reading at the next meeting

Meeting adjourned

Speechly

At a regular meeting of the Park commissioners held Feb 24 1900 at the Park Lodge
Were present Commissioners Spiegels in chair
Zeile
Mc Donald
Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Ticket | Supt Thum's ticket for May read and approved and secty instructed to give same to the press for publication

Police | Comm Kloyd was appointed a committee of one to interview Chief of Police Sullivan and ask him to state his requirements

Donations | Comm Kloyd move to accept and acknowledge the donations received at the museum

School Grounds | Commrs McDonald & Zeile were appointed a committee to confer with the Board of Education in regard to improvements for the maintenance of grounds around the schools.

Demands | Demands amounting to $1643.74 ordered paid
Labor 14.029.42

Museum Committee | On motion made by Comm Zeile the following committee was appointed to consider all donations offered for the museum and serve as a advisory committee for the same Committee. A. H. DeYoung. Miss Spooner During Mr. Scott Albert Pissis. and Commissioner Stanton.

Design duly caused Design No 1 was accepted for Union Square

Meeting Adjourned

Philip J Zay

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held March 8-1900 at the Park Lodge
Were present Comm McDonald (in the chair)
" Zeile
" Stanton
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Supt on proposed flower Calendar was read and the suggestions offered to be carried into effect and the report ordered filed;

Request made by C. D. Talfield for a exclusive privilege to operate motor omnibusses in the park. Denied.

Petition of C. P. Wilcomb for a leave of absence for 10 days vacation to make three trips in Lake, Sonoma and Mendocino counties granted.

Auto Ordinance On motion of Commissioner Stanton the following ordinance was introduced for action at the next regular meeting.
(With the exception hereinafter stated, all persons are prohibited from riding or driving any automobile or similar vehicle within the boundaries of Golden Gate Park or on the avenue leading thereto, or on the Great Highway existing that automobiles may be used on the [illegible] of the said Park, commencing at Fulton St. thence along the said drive to the [illegible] to exceed eight miles per hour.
Comm Zeile voting no on the above for the reason that the contemplated action is too broad in its nature, and that the park commissioners would do well to [illegible] the experimental [illegible] Park [illegible] automobiles are only allowed under permit of the [illegible] to the electric storage battery system.

On motion of Commissioner Zeile duly seconded the following ordinance was introduced for action at the next regular meeting -

No person having the care of any dog shall suffer or permit such dog to enter or remain in Golden Gate or avenue leading thereto, or any of the parks or squares or along the Great Highway, unless such dog be lead by a line of suitable strength, and not more than six feet in length, and no person shall be allowed to lead more than one dog, either by hand or behind a wagon, nor shall any dog in lead or attach

Communication from Secty Long of the Navy Dept: recommending the loan of two iron 3" triple-guns to G. G. P. was read and guns accepted.

Commissioner Buckley was authorized with full power to act to purchase such horses as required by Supt McLaren.

Motion of Commissioner Steel & Wise to be required to remove or modify the sign appearing on the Music Stand donated by them to the park carried.

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There being no further business the meeting adjourned

Philip A. [illegible]

-X- Chief of Police Sullivan called at the meeting and suggested the commissioners to grant the police department permission to erect a police station on the park property at the corner of Fredrick and Stanyan St. Plans therefor to be submitted to the commissioners Petition granted.

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Bohemian Club.

Present Comr McDonald - in the chair -
Comr Spreckels
Comr Zeile
Comr Lloyd
Comr Stanton

The first order of business was the opening of bids for board to be used in Union Square: The following were read

From	San Fran Paving Co -	74¢ per sq. yard
	Peter McHugh	60¢ " "
	Geo. W. Elder	58¢ " "
	Owen McHugh	57½¢ " "

Also bids from Pac Pav & Lumber Co - 74¢ per sq. yard
having complied with the resolution by paying to Secty
check for 10% of their bid: the bids were then
On motion of Comr Zeile seconded by Comr Lloyd that Owen McHugh
being the lowest bidder be awarded the contract to lay
ten yards of board to Union Square and
lay the wagon by a competent man.
Secty instructed to return check and notify the action of the
Board.

Secty also instructed to report the amount due to
Murdock for horse hire

Comr Spreckels moved that the Secty be
instructed to call the attention of the Supervisors
to the necessity of repairing the sidewalk in front of
Park on the north side of Fell Street, which is in a
dangerous condition, and liable to cause accidents
unless the same is repaired at once.
Carried.
Comr Lloyd offered the following resolution which was
seconded by Comr Spreckels and unanimously carried:
Whereas, The Board of Park Commissioners have been informed
that certain persons have been in the habit of driving
horses and vehicles over the lawns in the Park, and
Whereas, Such practice is destructive to the lawns
and detrimental to the interests of the Park, therefore
be it
Resolved, That the Secty be instructed to notify all persons
found driving horses or vehicles over the lawns in the Park
that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

7/Oct 8/00
Auto Ord

The vote on the amendment offered was as follows
Nays= Comrs Zeile. Comr Ely. Comr Ashton.
Yeas= Comr. Spreckels & McDonald=
Commissioner Spreckels desires to go on record as voting against the admission of automobiles in G. G. Park.

Secty instructed to notify the press that there being no ordinance passed by the commissioners permitting automobiles in the Park, it will be necessary to obtain a permit from the commissioners before they will be allowed to use the drives=

No further business the meeting adjourned.

Rudolph Hee

At a special meeting held in the Mills Bldg March 30th

Were present Commissioner Speckels. (Chair)
Commissioner Stanton.
Commissioner Zeile.
Commissioner Floyd.
Commissioner McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com. Zeile the Secty was instructed to acknowledge receipt and extend the thanks of the Commission to Mr Nelson Smith for the plants received from the National Botanical Gardens at Washington D.C.

Supt McPhail's report for March was read and supt was empowered to carry into effect the suggestions in the report read filed.

Commissioner Zeile made a motion that the Secty write to the Park Commissioners asking them to advise us as to whether or not they will allow us to erect a building on and after April 1st

Police Station

On motion of Com Floyd, seconded by Comm McDonald the Supt was instructed to remove to enclose the building formerly used for a police station in the Conservatory the Museum a small building suitable for warehouse purposes.

Museum

Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one and authorized to purchase the necessary materials for cutains to be put up in the museum.

The [illegible] submitting the estimated cost for the [illegible]

construction for the ensueing year be placed at $40,000.

Supt was instructed to submit at the next meeting the cost of opening a drive from the South Drive to 19th ave.

Demands for the month of March amounting to $1,033.19 audited ordered paid. Irving Hall [illegible] 33.60
Material 47 00

Meeting adjourned to meet in Com Jail's office at 5 o'clock Saturday Evening

Philip C. F

March 31/00

At a regular meeting of the P.C. held in the Police office Mills Bldg. March 31/00

Present Comm. McDonald. (in chair)
Comm. Zeile
Comm. Kloyd.

On motion of Comm Kloyd all ordinances remain to remain laid over until next regular meeting as there not being a sufficient number of Commissioners present to act upon them. carried.

The following ordinance was introduced for action at the next regular meeting.

Ordinance on bicycles=

All persons using upon a bicycle, tricycle or velocipede or similar vehicle in Golden Gate Park are prohibited from coasting by permitting their machine to run down the grade= or riding without hands on the handle bars=

April 7/00 A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Apl 7 1900 at Park Lodge. were present. Com McDonald in chair.
" Lloyd
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

New Police Station Com Stanton was appointed a committee of one to confer with chief of Police and Board of Public Works in regard to plans submitted for a new police station in the parks.

Com Lloyd moved that Supt McLaren be empowered to purchase the articles asked for by Geo Murphy lessee, Childrens Quarters. same in compliance with terms of lease. carried.

Com Lloyd moved that Supt McLaren be instructed to call and make arrangements and terms with the Spring Valley Water Co. for supplying water to parks and Squares. Carried

An answer to the offer submitted by J P Gorge of Paris, to sell "white female deer for $20.00 each and two commoner deer $50.00. Secty instructed to offer him $25.00 for three deer, if they are delivered in good sound healthy condition and the does bred as represented.

Electric Light System An answer to the request of the Sunset Hunt Club to have two electric lights placed at the south east entrance to the park. Supt was instructed to have one electric light erected at the above mentioned entrance.

Park Pittsburg Pa Supt McLaren was instructed to forward a copy of the plans and dimensions of the Children Quarters also sketches of furniture

Supt instructed to employ teams to haul the manure offered by W. Hoppe of 1715 Pine to it

Com Lloyd moved that all ordinances under consideration be laid over until next meeting of this Board carried

On motion of Comm Reed duly carried the secretary
to advertise for bids on Coal, Gas, Kerosene, Feed, Grain, etc
also to send coloured notices to all dealers in articles named.
samples & certified check to accompany bid

Com Stanton was empowered to purchase two bicycles
for Park Special Bicycle Police.

Superintendent submitted designs and estimated cost
of an entrance from 19th Ave to the south driveway
19th Ave, presented which the secretary was instructed
to thank the committee for their

and stating necessary to construct the entrance
committee would accept the donation
this road is necessary for the public use and
is done under the supervision of the Park

[illegible]
in usual manner [illegible]

Motion that it be [illegible]

It is the sense of the meeting
to send Resolutions of Condolence

April...

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Apl.
at the Park Lodge - were present

Stanton

Bids

Order of business being the opening of bids received
pursuant to the proposals advertised for in the Evening
Journals which are as follows to the lowest bidders

Hose

For Boston Belting Co to supply 3000 ft more or less 1¼" 4
ply as per sample and contract @ 20¢ per foot
To The Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co

[illegible] @ 14½¢ per foot

[illegible] @ 14½¢ per foot

[illegible] and terms of contract

[illegible] 10 lots 20 [illegible]

[illegible] @ 7½¢ per yard

[illegible] @ 7½¢ per yard

[illegible] @ 7½¢ per ton

Oat

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] be delivered in Sandwich Glass [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] articles to be delivered in quantities [illegible]

On motion of Comm Kloyd, duly carried this bids are received
laid over till Saturday April 25/00. so that a test of [illegible]
[illegible]

Move being no further business the meeting adjourned
till Saturday April 25th

April 28th 1910 | At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held April 28th at Park Lodge present

Comm. McDonald. Chair
Fitz
Lloyd

Minutes of the two previous meeting read and approved

Supt McShane monthly report for the month of April read & on motion of Comm Fitz, the suggestions offered in [illegible]

[illegible] a messenger boy to assist [illegible] department. Secretary was instructed to advertise [illegible] of position and state, pay will be further advised on [illegible] report, in meeting

Milcom-Vaudrich Co communication received from P. Milcom-Vaudrich Co [illegible] purchase under sale [illegible] & Curtis Ordinance [illegible] to furnish [illegible] additional

[illegible] Gentlemen & Co [illegible] Granted Pier [illegible] Comm. Fitz [illegible] seconded motion [illegible]

[illegible] Comm Fitz & [illegible]

Species

Auto

Equipment

Coal Conduct

Fuel Supply

[illegible] the name of the Park Commissioners [illegible] of the Commissioners, so that a [illegible] from the same.

[illegible] favorable for the planting of poplars, so that, [illegible] effect might be obtained.

Mountain Lakes — Supt authorized to forward letter to Dr Gassaway, and also carry into effect all suggestion [illegible] the [illegible] Mountain Lakes

[illegible] ordered [illegible]

$5.16

12 $2.25

$48 3.5

May 5/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held May 5-1900 at the Park Lodge were present Comm Sprecher in chair
Comm Lloyd
" Zeile
" McDonald
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved

Communication from Board of Public Works stating that in accordance with the Charter the Board of Public Works has control and management of the lighting of streets highways &c. Communication from Board of Public Works transmitted & this is referred to the Board of Public Works to understand & this is attached to the maintaining of the lighting plant in the Park: also a statement showing the number of lights and other data, and that a bill be made out and presented to the Board of Public Works for the cost expense of lighting Golden Gate Park since January 8th 1900.

Auto Comm Zeile as a committee of one on automobiles read communications received by him, regarding the admission of automobiles in Central Park N.Y. and asked that further time be given him in order to get the full information which regulates automobiles in New York Parks

Auto permits Requests were made by Messrs H. B. Clausen and Byron Jackson for permits to run their automobiles in the Park. Secty was instructed to notify them that the commissioners had under consideration an ordinance which would govern the admission of automobiles in the Park.

Street Sweeping Comm Zeile reported on street sweeping and asked for further time, when he would make a full report & requested for further time on Police matters = Granted.

Lighting On motion of Comm Lloyd seconded by Comm Stanton the Supt was instructed to submit the estimated cost for improving the general appearance & condition of the drives by trimming, pruning & cutting &c

May 5th 1911 | Supt. was also instructed to submit the cost of the furnishing of water used for the sprinkling of the roads.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned

Philip J. Fay
Secty

May 26/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held May 26-00 at the Park Lodge there present Com Spechels chair
McDonald
Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Supt report for the month of May read and suggestions recommendations ordered to be received and referred to the improving of hospital st, the Secty was instructed to write the Improvement Club that the Park Commissioners could not see their way clear to improving this st. but would be willing to pay subscribed too by the property owners of that vicinity.

Auto On motion duly carried the automobile ordinance communications relating to same were laid over until next meeting also the petition relating to [illegible] Communication from Paul Investment Co requesting Park to [illegible] decorate the Garfield [illegible]

Communication from Board of Education relating to erecting Colonial [illegible] was ordered filed and [illegible] the $5000.00 dollars asked for by the Board of Education, in order to equip and maintain the same.

Removal of Hill pigeons On motion of Com Stanton duly carried the position of Watchman held by A. W Squire in the museum was ordered abolished, to take effect [illegible]

Com Stanton was authorized to enter into a contract with P. J Cotter to remove the statuary at Forty three for the sum of $100.00 which is in accordance with his bid.

Warrants for the sum of $[illegible] 63 were ordered issued
Labor for the month of May. 1462.55
Material 582.508

Meeting adjourned.

[illegible]

June 2'00 | At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held June 2-00 at the Park Lodge were present
Comm Spreckels in chair.
McDonald
Stanton
Zeile

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Sprinkling Rds | Supt McLaren report on the cost of furnishing water for the sprinkling of roads asked for and pending further investigation in regard to the proposed tunnel and path leading to the Museum as suggested, Supt was instructed to have same in accordance with plans submitted.

On motion of Comm Stanton and seconded by Comm Zeile the ordinances and communication relating to Automobiles was laid over till next meeting

Petition regarding the reappointing of F. Grubb was laid over till next meeting.

Assignment Museum | During the absence of S. P. Wilcomb-ciculator of the museum the Secty was instructed to give the necessary attention to the business of the museum

On motion of Comm Stanton Supt was instructed to remove the house shed on the speed track to a less conspicuous place

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in the Assembly Hall, Mint Building on [illegible]
were present
[illegible]
Hunter
Zeile

Secretary [illegible] was instructed to [illegible] was suspended with.

Bids on [illegible] The object of the meeting being the opening of bids received [illegible] for furnishing [illegible] for the Park [illegible] during the year [illegible]
The following bids were received.

	Constructed	Materials
From Geo. A. Fullerton	3.71 each	3.31
Benicia Agricultural	2.66 2/3	
F. Wellerton	3.05	2.95
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Vulcan Iron Works	3.23	2.75
R. Herring	3.45	2.65
A. C. Soule	3.65	2.45
W. H. Manning Mills	4.00	3.25
R. C. Audun	3.17 1/2	Total 4.25
Cala Artistic Mfg Co.	3.24	2.50
A. P. Ferry	2.89	2.45

After due consideration the contract was awarded to the Benicia Agricultural Works. Their bid being the lowest

June 30/00 | At a regular meting of the Park Commissioners held June 30 '00. at the Park Lodge were present
Commission Spuckels in chair
Stanton
Zeile

Minutes of previous meting read and approved.

Supt McKaun report for the month of June read and suggestions & recommendations adopted & ordered carried into effect

The following measures and communications were received & laid over until next meeting

Auto | Communication re Automobiles.
Letter from the California Automobile Association
Com was instructed to draft an ordinance to be
presented at next meeting of Board

Bd on | Letter from W. E. Buchanan to do all teamwork on Park
Lot for 18¢ per cubic foot

Communication from Mr. Roberts Lot Block [illegible]
Block on the square to be reserved as
far as possible. also deposited Deed Block. Leave the
Superintendent and the Superintendent to act and
assist in improving the

Demands amounting to $21547.61/100 were ordered paid
Labor 15145.55
Material 6402.06

On motion of Comm Zeile the meeting adjourned to
[illegible]

July 2/00

At the continued meeting of the Park Commissioners held Monday July 2/00 in the reserving room of the Mills Building

Present Comm. Sprigle Chair
Lloyd
Stanton
Zeile

The following business was transacted, upon the adjourned meeting.

The communication from the Board of Public Works relative to the lighting of the Park with electric light, and asking for power to act.

Automobiles

Ordinances and communications relating to the admission of automobiles in the Park were referred to Comm Lloyd to investigate and report at the next meeting what action the Commissioners should take in the matter.

Columbia Sq.

Regarding the request for the Park Commissioners of Columbia Square for a children's playground, was referred to Comm Lloyd to confer with the club desiring the request.

Having

On motion of Comm Zeile duly second the permission granted the City Council to [illegible] the Police Station to G G Park was referred to Supt McKeen to investigate and report at [illegible]

[illegible] Park for clubs, was recommended to the Clubs in Glen Park for

Music Stand

[illegible] of the Park music stand was referred to Comm Zeile he to report at the next meeting.

Electric Light

The Supt was instructed to have the electric [illegible]

July 2/00 The request from the lessee of the Japanese Garden to give a Japanese fireworks display at the opening of the Mid-Winter Mineral Hand was referred to Supt McLaren to report at the next meeting.

Respectfully

July 7/00 | At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held July 7/00 at the Park Lodge were present

Commissioner Lloyd- Chair
" Stanton
" Zeile

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt McLaren report on the hauling of [illegible] the Superintendents stables was read, and his recommendations to use 1500 yds of gravel delivered, was adopted, and Petty was instructed to communicate with Bd of Public Works, [illegible] the adoption which is to continue at the pleasure of this Board. Also a report on the display of fireworks to be given on the opening day of the new music stand was read and Supt McLaren was authorized to [illegible]

Petition from the property owners on the west side of the Park requesting the improving of the [illegible] was read and ordered filed- Petty instructed to advertise

Communication from B. Hawkins of Jersey Island was read

Condor | Letter from Superintendent of Sutro Baths stating the sale of the Condor which was received several days past- was referred to Commissioner Stanton to answer with full power to act.

[illegible] | Letter from McKinley Park [illegible] was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act

Celebration | [illegible] several designs in tapestry [illegible] lawns, representing the Arms and Seal of the State and of the [illegible] was instructed to comply as [illegible]

Committee | Comm Zeile as a committee on music and ornaments was granted further [illegible]

Dog Pound | Comm Lloyd as a committee on drafting a answer to the letter received from the Cruelty to Animals [illegible] Playground- submitted a letter which the petty was directed to read-

July 7/00 Comm Lloyd as a committee on the disputed liability of the lighting of Golden G. Park by the Bo of Public Works = submitted the opinion of the City and County attorney - which, read

San Fran. May 5-00

Gentlemen:

Lighting of Parks

I am in receipt of your communication of April 16, submitting for an opinion the question whether under the charter the Bo of Public Wks or the Bo of Park Comm, should provide light and water for all public squares, lights for the parks and water for the sprinkling of the public avenues and boulevards therein.

Section 9 of Chapter I Article VI provides that "the Board of Public Works shall have charge, superintendence and control under such ordinances as may from time to time be adopted by the supervisors, for the cleaning and sprinkling of all public streets, avenues, alleys, places, courts, roads, highways and boulevards and the lighting of the same, and the lighting of the public squares and other public places and public buildings"

Under this section it would seem to have been the clear intention of the the charter framers to place the lighting of the public parks and squares under the control of the Bo of Public Works but not so the cleaning and sprinkling of the avenues there. The section requires a clear cut distinction between those parts of the city which the Bo of Public Works shall clean, and sprinkle and those which it shall also light. Public Works Dept has control of the lighting of all avenues and boulevards and sprinkles most of the parks squares and other public places and public buildings. Moreover the words avenue and boulevard as used in the above quoted section are not descriptive of the classes and kinds of parks and squares but are terms classes of the public streets named on the maps as avenues and boulevards.

The parks and squares are to be cleaned and sprinkled by the Board of Park Commissioners and lighted by the Bo of Public Works.

Respectfully yours

Franklin K Lane

The Board of Park Commissioners

also a further request of the Park Comm asking the City Attorney for his opinion as to who should pay for the lighting of the public boulevards and avenues as follows

Office of the Park Commission
of the City and County of San Francisco

Honorable
Franklin K. Lane
City and County Attorney

Dear Sir:-

On behalf of the Park Commissioners I am directed to communicate with you in relation to the lighting of public parks and squares. Prior to May 5.00 the question was submitted to you, as to who should provide light and water for public squares and parks. On May 5.00 in reply to that communication you sent a written opinion that the Park Commissioners were required by the charter to provide the water for public squares and parks, and that the Board of Public Works was to furnish squares and parks. Your opinion being submitted to the Board of Public Works it was decided not decide as to who should pay for the water used whether it was the Board of Public Works or the Park Commissioners and for the purpose of getting your opinion on that question the matter was again submitted to you.

In consideration of that question the Board of Public Works requested me to call your attention to Act XII page 365 of the Consolidated Statutes of California; and subdivision 3 of Section 9 Article VI Chapter of the Charter, to be found at page of the same Consolidated Statutes, and which gives the Park Commissioners full control of the Park lands and the Board of Public Works full control of the streets, and requested you to give an opinion as to whether or not the Park Commissioners had the right to use water for the purpose of lighting the parks and squares under the control of the Board of Public Works.

You are therefore again requested to render an opinion as soon as possible on this question, as the Park Commissioners desire to have some charges now pending against the Board of Public Works for lighting parks and squares settled on account of the misunderstanding as to who should pay for the water used for that purpose.

Respectfully
San Francisco, June [illegible] 1900. For the Park Commissioners

July 7/00 cont. Secty was instructed to check the Wilcomb collection in the museum.

Permit for all articles taken out

On motion of Com Zeile duly seconded that nothing be taken from the Park or museum without a permit issued by the Secty and he to receive his authorization from some member of the commission, and in all cases get a receipt for the article delivered.

Letter re. interior Hospital Lot

Com Lloyd was requested to draft a letter to Mayor Baker stating therein the fact that the $5000 requested by the Hospital Ext. Improt Club to be set aside by the Bd of Public for the improving of the square has not been complied with. therefore it cannot be expected of the Park Comm to improve the square.

On motion of Com Hamilton the salaries of Miss Steedman and Miss Williams was advanced to $32.00 per month

Respectfully.
Philip J. Fay
Secretary

July 28/00 At a regular meeting of the P. Comm held July 27'00 at Park Lodge
were present

Comm McDonald chair
" Zeile
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Supt McLaren report for the month of July read and on motion of Comm Zeile, the suggestions and recommendations as offered were ordered adopted and carried into effect.

Mr Emilio Rastetto presenting the circus ~~[illegible]~~ of the 21st celebration called and requested that permission be granted them permission to hold a concert and parade & display in front of City Hall Square date on Sept 11th 1900 Comm Stanton the request was granted. also to hold ~~[illegible]~~ G. G. Park Sept 9'00 ~~[illegible]~~ this request was laid over one week

On motion of Comm Stanton it was agreed that the formal opening of the new music stand would be held Sept 9-1900.

The 4th of July committee were also granted the use of Columbus and Washington Squares to hold sacred concerts to Sunday the Sept 9'00. and on Sunday evening Sept 16th permission was given to hold a ~~[illegible]~~ concert similar to the one held at the music stand.

Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to submit at the next meeting a design of a toilet for the music stand also the best method of ~~[illegible]~~

On motion of Comm Stanton the Supt was instructed to remove the turnstiles in front of the ~~[illegible]~~ Turnstiles

Supt was instructed to ~~[illegible]~~ and to ~~[illegible]~~ the ~~[illegible]~~ to ~~[illegible]~~ and report at next ~~[illegible]~~

~~[illegible]~~ Square and Washington Square would be lighted ~~[illegible]~~ Supt was given ~~[illegible]~~

July 28/00 cont'd | Demands amounting $18.272.39 were approved and ordered paid Labour $11,964.73 material $6307.66

Catalogues | Communication from Hinton Printing Co stating that their bill for printing museum catalogues would be $400 and referred to Supt. McCann with power to act.

Rec'd

Aug 4/00 | At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 4 at the Park Lodge were present.

Comm Spuckels in the chair
" Stanton
" Lloyd
" McDonald
" Zeile

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt reported loam on hand and on motion of Comm Zeile the Supt was authorized to order the loam at 68½¢ per cubic yard.

Chipmunks | On motion of Comm McDonald the Secty was instructed to order four dozen chipmunks. voting on the motion were ordered ays. Commissioners McDonald. Lloyd and Stanton - noes. Comm Zeile

Eagle Bear | Offer tendering eagles and bears were declined with thanks

On motion of Comm Zeile seconded by Comm Lloyd the Pres was authorized appointed Comm Stanton and Zeile a committee to consider the advisability of location. erection & method of conducting a suitable place wherein refreshments may be served the committee to report submitting a design at the earliest possible date.

N.S.G.W. Celebration | On motion of Comm Lloyd the secty was instructed to communicate to the committee of arrangements of the N.S.G.W. celebration information that as the Commissioners were considering an ordinance and rules to regulate the admission of Automobiles in the Park it would be inexpedient to grant [illegible]

Music Stand | On motion of Comm Stanton unanimously full power in the matter of erecting a suitable inexpensive for the new Music Stand

Loans | The Supt was authorized to accept the amount of dollars in exchange for the condition of bonds

Aug 11 00 cont'd | was instructed to keep a separate account of same

On motion of Comm Lloyd the supt was instructed to have a suitable tablet placed upon the wire gate which was donated by the Amer Steel & Wire Co.

The supt was also instructed to procure larger quarters for the Condor.

Aug 25/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 25/00 at the Park Lodge.

were present Comm McDonald Chair.
" Zeile
" Lloyd
" Stanton

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

The Supt report was read and approved and ordered filed and the suggestion to be carried out.

Warrants to the amount of $21.220.01 were ordered drawn Labor $15527.01 Material $693.00

The committee on ordinances governing automobiles & music reported progress and will make final report subsequently.

Comm Lloyd reported as to consultation with City Solicitor, Attorney Laird and the Board of Public Works, the progress of his investigation of the lighting of the Parks & Squares &c was his judgement that the Board of Public Works should pay for the lighting of the Squares and that the Park Board should take charge of the lighting of the Parks. Commissioner Lloyd was authorized to so notify the Board of Public Works

Letter from the Dept of Public Works transmitting an ordinance to the Park Board was read & on motion of Comm Zeile to further consider and report later.

The petition from the Riverside Park Association that the grounds known as Marshall's Point should be reserved as a park was ordered placed on file

On motion of Comm Lloyd seconded by Comm Zeile the Superintendent of the Parks was granted another months leave of absence

On motion of Comm Lloyd the Secretary was instructed to notify the Board of Public Works that the Park Board would not grant any permits for the erection of telephone poles in the Parks

Aug 25/ 00 cont'd

referred to Supt McKaren with power to act, he to use his discretion as to the amount of the said deposit

A copy of the resolution passed by the Board of Supervisors referring to the Burial Heights Fund was read.

Petition of A. J. Wilgard to erect a Cigar & Tobacco stand on the Park was refused.

Request from the Rev J. J. Pinton to preach the gospel in the Parks & Squares was denied.

On motion of Comm Zeile seconded by Comm Kloppenburg the communication offering the original model of the Wm J. Hartford to the Park was referred to the museum committee with power to act.

Phil J Fay
Sec'y

Sept. 1/00 A regular meeting meeting of the Park Commissioners held Sept 1st at the Park Lodge were present

Comm Zeile.

There not being a quorum present the meeting adjourned to the call of the chair.

Sept 29/00 | at a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Sept 29-00 at the Park Lodge:

were present

Commissioners Speckels
" Kloyd
" McDonald
" Zeile
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt Supt McLaren upon read and suggestions or recommendations offered ordered carried into effect: And the Secretary instructed to advertise for bids to deliver 10000 cubic yards loam before Nov 30-00

Loam | The bid from Peter McHugh for loam at 95¢ per cubic yd being considered to high was rejected.

Girls Club | The request from the Girls Club of the Girls High School asking for permission to photograph all matters in the possession of the Society was instructed to communicate granting the request, but confining the club to certain hours in the morning: excepting Sat and Sundays and holidays

Petition | Petition from the property owners in the vicinity of 16th Plaza requesting further improvement of the Square was referred to Supt McLaren to investigate the condition and report at the next meeting.

Demands | Demands amounting to $20,138.60 were examined and ordered paid. Labor 14032.60
Material 6605.

President | President was authorized to accept the offer of the skeletons of a wild cat or eagle and refer the same to the museum committee.

Donation of Dr G. P. Bradley of a live monkey: declined

Sept 24th Communication from Mrs W.W. Child requesting the appointment of Dr L. G. Yates to Director of the Museum referred to the Museum Committee:

Supt McCann was instructed to assume control of the grounds surrounding the hospitals and report the condition of the same at the next meeting

On motion of Com Zeile, seconded by Com Kleypool the Supt was instructed to report on the condition of the Monument parks and submit suggestions and recommendations for further improvement of the same.

On motion of Com Zeile seconded by Com Kleypool that a fence be erected and the ground improved with concrete in the run-paddock west of Stanley-ave pike along to the moving of the animals

On motion of Com Zeile seconded by Com Stanton the suggestions and recommendations offered by the Supt in his report regarding the improvement of Soldiers Lot were carried into effect.

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Stanton the street sprinkling matter was referred to the President and Com Zeile as a committee to report at the next meeting

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Zeile the tablet offered by Supt McCann be ratified and placed upon the gate donated by the Cincinnati Milk & Ice Co.

On motion of Com Stanton seconded by Com Zeile the committee consisting of Com Lloyd & Zeile were appointed to draft an ordinance to prevent the operation of Automobiles in the park and submit the same at the next meeting:

The Clerk was instructed to cash receipts in the sum of [illegible]

Sept 29/00 Cont'd

On motion of Comr Lloyd seconded by Comr Stanton Comr McDonald was appointed a committee of one, to submit at the next meeting, and report on the cost of putting a telephone system in the Park

There being no further business the meeting adjourned

Philip J Clay.

Oct 6/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Oct 6-1900 at the Park Lodge.

were present Com Speckels.
" Stanton
" Zeile
" Lloyd
" McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion of the President sec'd by Com Stanton Comm McDonald was authorized to enter into a contract to furnish the park with a telephone system.

On motion of Com Lloyd sec'd by Com McDonald the regular meeting days was changed from the first and last saturdays of the months to the first and third Thursday evenings to be held at the Park Lodge, and called at 8 P M sharp

On motion of Com Stanton sec'd by Com Lloyd the matter granting the Camera Club of the Girls High School permission to photographing in the museum was rescinded.

On motion Com Zeile, sec'd by Com Lloyd the Secty was instructed to send a letter of thanks to Hon Julius Kahn for the interest taken by him in obtaining permission to haul trees from Mountain Lake.

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd by Com Stanton the request was granted to Mr W H Storer to photograph the Pioneer statue in the museum.

Secty was instructed to advertise [illegible]

Committee on Steel Cage was granted further time

On motion of Com Zeile sec'd by Com Lloyd the Secty was instructed to advertise for bids for the material to construct a [illegible] fence for the [illegible]

Further time was granted the committee.

Oct. 6/00 Cont'd

On motion Com Lloyd secd by Com Zeile the ordinance submitted by them as a committee on automobile ordinance as a substitute for the original ordinance: be adopted. Carried. = Copy of Ordinance =

ORDINANCE.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PARK Commissioners.

Ordinance for the regulation, use and government of the Parks, Squares, Avenues and Grounds in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, which, by the provisions of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, are placed under the complete and exclusive control, management and direction of the Park Commissioners appointed under said Charter.

The Park Commissioners do ordain as follows

Section 1. No horseless carriage or motor wagon or automobile shall enter or go upon any driveway or part of any Park in the City and County of San Francisco unless the engineer, manager or operator of such carriage, wagon or automobile shall have first obtained a certificate from this Board and signed by the President of this Board, certifying that he, said engineer, manager or operator, is skilled in the management and operation of said carriage, wagon or automobile and competent to manage, run and control the same; that the carriage, wagon or automobile is in good order and condition and not liable to interfere with the quiet, peaceable and safe enjoyment by any other person or persons in any of said Parks. Said certificate shall also give the name of such engineer, manager or operator and designate and describe the carriage, wagon or automobile which he is permitted to operate and run in said Parks, and the places where and the hours during which he may so operate said machine in said Parks.

Section 2. The person so named in said certificate may, at the times and places designated in said certificate, run and operate the machine so named in said certificate in the portion of the Park mentioned in said certificate in said City and County; provided he shall at all times run and operate said machine personally and in a careful and prudent manner and at a rate of speed not to exceed ten miles an hour; and shall at all times have with him said certificate and exhibit it to any police officer or Park Commissioner or the Superintendent of the Parks when requested so to do. Said certificate shall not be transferable, and shall be good for three months and no longer, unless renewed by this Board.

Section 3. If any person to whom a certificate is issued assigns or transfers the same to any other person, or shall attempt to use any other machine than the one so designated in his certificate, or suffer or permit any other person or persons while in any Park to run or operate said machine, or run or operate his said machine in violation of any of the provisions of said certificate, he shall forfeit said certificate and all privileges he might acquire thereunder; and the same shall be taken up by any Park Commissioner or the Superintendent appointed by said Commissioners, or any police officer.

Section 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by imprisonment in the County Jail of the City and County of San Francisco not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by both.

PHILIP J FAY,
Secretary Board of Park Commissioners.

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On motion of Com Lloyd secd by Com Zeile the bids were ordered to be opened at the adjourned meeting for board be ignored as to high

There being no further business the meeting adjourned

Sec't

Oct 18/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Oct 18.00 at the Park Lodge Present

Comm Speckels
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Bids on Hay Oats Bran

An answer to the advertised proposals for bids on furnishing and delivering of Hay Barley Oats & Bran the following bids were received

	75 Tons Mixed Alfalfa & Wheat Hay	75 Tons Mixed Alfalfa & Oat Hay	[illegible]	100 Tons Oats	[illegible] Bran	[illegible]
E Augeltinger	14.00 per T	13.75 p.t.	17.75 p.t.	1.35	[illegible] per Ton	345.00
H. E. Ellis & Co	14.25	13.25	17.25	1.40	17.50	322.69
Peters & Conner	15.93	13.48	17.97	1.37½	.92½ per Cwt	300.00
Scott & [illegible]	14.50	12.90	18.10	[illegible]		
[illegible]	14.00	13.00	18.00	[illegible]		
[illegible]	13.80	13.25	18.50	[illegible]		

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd by Com Stanton that the contracts be awarded to the lowest bidder [illegible] showing samples [illegible] the following

For as much as may be required within 6 mo of Gilt Edge Wheat Hay to E Augeltinger @ $17.00 per ton
On account of the last superiority in samples submitted the contract for 75 Tons or as much etc of Gilt Edge Wheat Hay was awarded to E Augeltinger @ $13.75 per ton
For 900 Tons or as much etc of Rolled Barley was awarded to H. E. Ellis & Co @ $17.25 per ton
For 450 Tons or as much etc of Oats was awarded to Scott & Magner @ $1.37½ per Cental
For 75 Tons or as much etc of Bran was awarded to [illegible] @ [illegible] per ton

The following bids were received for the furnishing & delivering of 5000 ft more or less 6' Woven Wire [illegible] 48" wide 12½ gauge 12x33 ft.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Anvil Steel & Wire Co	$1.65 per rod	25.00
West Coast Wire & Iron Wks	Fencing & gate	$139.00
DeKalb Fence Co	6¢ per ft	14.00
Trio & Roebling Sons	Fencing & gate	$590.00
Page Woven Wire Co		$566.00

After examining the samples furnished [illegible] Sec'd Com Lloyd the contract was awarded

Oct 18/00 Cont'd

Amer Steel & Wire Co. at $1.65 per rod for fencing and $25.00 for wire gate.

A bid was received from the S. F. Contg Co. offering to furnish and deliver Loam at the rate of 92¢ per cu yd. Ayes

Messrs Shuman and O'McHugh presented themselves and submitted a proposition regarding the furnishing of loam which on motion of Com McDonald sec'd Com Lloyd they were requested to submit the same in writing for consideration

Supt McKeen report on the conditions, locations, & care of the small parks and squares: also recommending, suggesting and submitting plans for the further improvement of Lincoln and on motion of Com McDonald sec'd Com Lloyd the Supt was authorized to spend $150.00 on the improvement of Portsmouth Square

On motion of Com Stanton sec'd Com Lloyd: the Supt was instructed to have the Electric light poles in Lincoln Park replaced by ornamental ones.

On motion of Com McDonald sec'd by Com Stanton the Supt was authorized to construct a concrete walk on the Washington St side of Lafayette Square not to exceed in [illegible]

Lafayette Sq

Petition received from the 18th Ave indicated that request that a electric light be erected at the 19th Ave entrance to the park was denied on account of there being no circuit in that vicinity.

On motion of Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald: the Supt was instructed to plant 8000 trees in Holly Park.

On motion of Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald the Supt was instructed to replace the two trees in the entrance to the main

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald: That Mr Derleth be requested to submit a plan for a bronze room to be constructed as a annex to the [illegible] Voting: Ayes Commissioners Lloyd & McDonald Noes Com Stanton

Oct. 18/80 Cont'd

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald. The Supt. was instructed to construct a road leading from the music Stand to the main drive, running along side the Japanese Garden, and on Sundays to have Signs placed on the road leading from the main drive to the music stand, prohibiting carriages and other vehicles from using the same

(Road from Music Court)

Philip J Fay
Secty

Nov 12th 00 | At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Thursday evening Nov 12th 1900

Present Comm. Speckels. Chair.
" McDonald.
" Zeile
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & appd.

Supt McKown read, and ordered accepted, suggestions, and recommendations ordered carried into effect. And on motion of Comm Zeile pcd by Comm Stanton, the Supt was instructed to commence work on the fences in Cita Plaza Square, in accordance with plans submitted.

Fences Cita Plaza

P. Barry

Petition of P. Barry, a park employee, requesting an advance of salary. On motion of Comm Stanton pcd Comm McDonald the request was granted & Supt McKown was authorized to advance the full power act

Sand

Bid of Peter Nelson to supply sand to the parks @ ½ per cu yd. On motion of Comm Stanton pcd Comm Zeile, the Secty was instructed to advertise for 2500 cu yds sand to be delivered at the new lakes.

Coal wood

The Secty was also instructed to advertise for bids on 100 BBls Portland Cement, 2000 ft 2" Cal pipe, 1000 ft 1½ Cal pipe, 10 BBls Linseed Oil, 5000 ft redwood rough and planed 50 Tons Penna Egg Coal 60 Tons of Plain Coal. 20 Tons house coal.

Halm damages

On motion Comm Zeile pcd Comm McDonald, Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to adjust the claim of damages due Mrs Halm for injury sustained by her fall

Heating Museum

On motion Comm Zeile pcd Comm Stanton, the Supt was instructed to investigate and report at the next meeting the condition for the heating of the Art rooms in the museum.

Etc.

On motion Comm McDonald pcd Comm Stanton, the Secretary was instructed to [illegible] and matters pertaining to [illegible] at next meeting

Nov 15/00 | At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm Zeile's office Nov 15/00

Present Comm Lloyd Clair:
" Zeile
" Stanton

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Com Zeile the reading of the minutes of previous meeting were suspended with

On motion Comm Zeile sec'd Com Stanton the reading of said contracts were laid over till next meeting.

The following bids were received on lumber for
The Pacific Lumber Co Select Redwood from 2" to 2½" B.M. per M. feet [illegible]
2½" to 2½" B.M. per M. feet 1" per M. feet [illegible]
The Humboldt Lumber Co. Select Pine Redwood 16cc per M. at the yard - per
M. facing 1 to 4 sides 1cc to 3cc per M. addtl.
Scott & Co. Redwood 16cc per M. Select [illegible]
per M. facing 1 to 4 sides 1 to 3cc addtl.
Dickens Lumber Co. Rough Pine Redwood 16cc per M. per Select 20cc per M
per M. facing 1 to 4 sides 1 to 3cc per M addtl.

On motion Comm Zeile sec'd Comm Stanton the contract was awarded to the Dickens Lumber Co they being the lowest bidder

The following bids were received on coal.
W. J. Stafford 60 Tons of Averas Rosyn Coal [illegible]
J. C. Wilson [illegible]
Mallard 8.55 Wig Comon 8.10 " facing 5.85
Penn Egg 14.25 Clear Cummins, Wellington & Roslyn 9.00
per ton delivered
Thos Morton 60 Tons Comon 8.25 = Roslyn 6.65 {Cummins Wellington Roslyn} 6.00 Penn
Egg. 14.35. Cummins Wellington 9.75

On motion Comm Zeile sec'd Com Stanton the following awards were made to the lowest bidders
To W. J. Stafford 60 Tons of Roslyn Coal @ 6.45 per ton delivered
" Thos Morton 50 " Penn Egg " 14.35
" J. C. Wilson 20 " Wellington " 9.00

On motion of Comm Zeile sec'd Comm Stanton the following contract was awarded to [illegible]
2000 ft 2" Gas Pipe [illegible] ft
Gal pipe 1/2" fence ft

For 15 cc
Cont.

Cmotion Com Stanton sec'd Com, feels the bidsare loans are rejected, as being too light. and the Secty was instructed to again advertize for 500000 more cu yds of loam.

Sec'y Pust was instructed to have signs warning officers $25.00 fined for the arrest or detention of any persons or vehicles delivering the turf, loam, manure or any other property within the Parkway squares, same to be placed at all places where this practice prevails.

The meeting adjourned to the call of the Chair.

Philip Feiry
Secty.

Dec 6/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Dec 6th 1900 at the Park Lodge were present

Comm. Speckels. Chair
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Zeile
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Demands amounting to $19.825.92/100 were approved and ordered paid: Salary 15.947.92 Inst Acct 3.878.01

Supt McKaen's report was read and committed & ordered filed.

On motion Com Zeile sec'd Com McDonald: Com Stanton was appointed a committee of one to confer with the Co Supervisors in regard to the proposed new charter amendments.

On motion Com Zeile sec'd Com Stanton: Contract for Lunch was awarded the contractor for Sandwiches and coffee at the Park and Conservatory for the ensuing year, they being the lowest bidders:

Communication from the Odd Fellows Home relative to

On motion Com Lloyd, sec'd Com Zeile: Com Stanton was appointed a committee of one to confer with the Co Supervisors in regard to the ornamental cast iron gas post to be placed in Union St. Gas Posts

On motion Com Zeile sec'd Com McDonald: matter pertaining to a private telephone system in the Park was referred to the next meeting.

On motion Com Zeile sec'd Com Lloyd: Supt McKaen was authorized to purchase a printing outfit for the purpose of printing labels and specimens. Printing outfit

Dec 6th
Com'ds
Inventory

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The Secty was instructed to prepare an inventory of personal property in compliance with order passed by the Board of Supervisors.

Walks & drives around City Hall

On motion Com'r Zeile and sec'd by Com'r McDonald: Commissioners Lloyd and Zeile were appointed a committee of two to confer with the City and County Attorney Kane and the Board of Public Works on the question of maintaining the walks and drives surrounding the City Hall.

Sundries

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The offer of W. D. Anderson of $1.00 per ton be declined with thanks owing time to the blutes on glen-park.

Petition of A. W. Collins ordered filed.

Permission to the office of R. W. Rock to sell tumpting, was the Secty was instructed to thank him for his offer: but on account of it being dangerous at this time of the year to slip fowl: the question will lay over until spring

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: Action on the record of board was laid over till next meeting

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: That an effort be made to secure the street sweeping: at a price not to exceed 15 cents per cu yard

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The following was individual efforts and in investigation of the automobile question it is deemed advisable to adopt rules similar to those in force governing the management of Automobiles in Central Park: No Person permission will be granted only to persons of good moral character to use the South drive or the drive to return to the rock bridge at the N.E. cor of S. Park. All persons to be issued in the President of the Board and not transferable and the same to exist at the pleasure of the board and no machine be allowed to enter the park without a proper

Dec 6/ 100

On motion Comm'r McDonald, 2nd Com'r Zeile: Com'r Stanton was authorized to adjust the claim of damages of Mrs Halm, but not to exceed the sum of [illegible].

On motion Com'r Lloyd, 2nd Com'r Zeile: The curator of the museum was instructed to call on Mrs Col Dubach and accept the collection of Manila curios contributed by her

Philip J. Fithian
Clerk

Dec 20 1900 | At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Dec 20.00 at the Park Lodge.

Present. Comm. Speckels - Chair
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Lloyd
" Zelle

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication from Wm Hahn accepting the offer of the Park Comm[rs] Dec[r] 1st for damages sustained by the fire of painting. The Secty was instructed to draw draft for the amount.

Telephone | On motion Com Zelle sec[d] Com Stanton the telephone question was laid over indefinitely.

Communication from Wm T Illey asking for a price on Elk-deer mountain sheep. The Secty was instructed to quote 70[c] per head F.O.B. for Elk to be shipped at the risk of purchaser

Price on Buffalos | On motion Com Zelle sec[d] Com Stanton: The Supt was authorized to dispose of not more than six head of Buffalo at the rate of $7.50[00] per head.

Petition | Petition of A. L. Berry ordered filed.

Tender | Mr Ansorg to Sandberg Bro request price to be offered on a tender: The commissioners are not disposed to make an offer, but will be pleased to accept the bid as a de

Trees. | Request of the [illegible] Association & the Witmore Lady [illegible] for queen trapping ordered filed.

Quail | On motion Com Lloyd sec[d] Com Zelle: To enter into contract with P. McHugh and the Union Paving & Contg Co. each to deliver 2500 more or less cubic yards of sand at the rate of 80[c] per

with from A. C. Johnson [illegible] Tuesday 6 doz quail
eating the quail @ 35[c] [illegible]

Dr 20 co
Lout 9

2 dozen quail for 1 doz Bob White also to Burnham & Wright

On motion Com Jeile rec'd Com McDonald. Com Stanton was given further time on the lighting of Union Square.

On motion Com Stanton rec'd Com Jeile: The Supt was instructed to plant groupes of trees at the East entrance of the Speed Track

On motion Com Jeile rec'd by Com Stanton: that [illegible] permitting a concert to be given on January 12th

June 1901 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening January 3. 1901 at the Palace Hotel
Were present Comm Pucheu. Chas
" Stanton.
" Lloyd
" Zeile

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report | Supt McShane report for the month of December 00 read and discussion and recommendations and carried into effect

[illegible] | On motion duly made [illegible] Comm Lloyd and carried [illegible]
| Laid off 5.803 Sq. Material 414

Artillery Battery | On motion Comm Lloyd seconded Comm Zeile The matter of the Artillery Battery using the park drives was referred to [illegible]

Telephone | The telephone question was laid over until the decision is given in the telephone case now pending.

Lighting Question | Commissioner Stanton was given authority on the lighting qu[illegible]

On motion Comm Stanton seconded Comm [illegible] was instructed to [illegible] in accordance with plans submitted by Comm. and

Street Sprinkling | On motion Comm Lloyd seconded by Comm Stanton The secty was instructed to [illegible] with the Board of Public Works for the [illegible] for the ensuing year it being [illegible] for the sprinkling of streets in

Quail | On motion Comm Zeile seconded Comm Stanton the Supt was authorized to give two dozen quail to Fish Comm Alex Vogelsang.

On motion Comm Lloyd The Supt was authorized to have the necessary repairs made on the museum building at once

Jan 17/1901 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Jan 17-1901 at the Park Lodge

were present

Comm's Speechly Chair
" Lloyd
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Martin

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved -

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Stanton.
Com Speechly was elected President of the board for the ensuing
elected term! Carried:

A request from the Algonquin Club to build a tennis court on the
E. Park was laid
On motion of Com Lloyd, sec'd Com Stanton the matter was
referred to Comm Martin with power to act.

Petition from residents for the removal of the
and regulating the Park Regulations
Programme On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Stanton
Com McDonald was appointed a committee to
investigate the matter and report at the next meeting.

The offer of Peter Bourquin to sell an old to the Park was
Elk declined, there being an overstock at present on the Park.

Communication from the Dept Public Works regarding the
delivery of the Fleet service to the Park
The matter was referred to Supt McKeown to confer with
the proper authorities.

Two Moose The donation of two Elks of a Moose was accepted
and the thanks of the Commissioners tendered.

Telephone On motion of Comm McDonald sec'd Com Stanton the
secretary was instructed to write the Bell Telephone Co to have
a system in the Park for the accommodation of Park & Police and
that until such can be put in two men be posted and directed to
notify the Telephone Co to proceed at once with the wiring &

Jan 19/

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton:
The secty was instructed to check all the articles in the museum to be assisted by the curator:

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr Matin
The services of Miss L Heckman were dispensed with & Prof Gudel reinstated as tandemist at a salary of $50.00 p.m. both to take effect from the 1st of Feby-190

On motion of Comr Lloyd sec'd Comm Stanton:
The following resolutions were adopted & ordered spread upon the minutes of the meeting, and an engrossed copy be sent to Mr F. W. Zeile

Office of the Park Commissioners
of the City and County of San Francisco
January 17th 1901.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held this day all members being present the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted
Whereas since our last meeting the term of Commissioner
Frederick W. Zeile
having expired, we deem it proper to make a record of our unanimous opinion of the very skillful manner in which he performed the functions of his office and the valuable services he rendered to the public.
Therefore be it
Resolved
That it is the sense of this body that
Frederick W Zeile
is entitled to, and there is hereby extended to him, the thanks of the Board for his faithful, efficient and meritorious services rendered at all times while in office, performing in an acceptable manner the duties thereof, and
and we assure him he has our best wishes for his health, happiness and prosperity.
Resolved:
That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be sent to him.

By the Board.

Attest.

Secretary. President.

Comm Stanton was granted further time on the question of lighting Munson Street

On motion Comm Lloyd, sec'd Comm McDonald:
The Supt was instructed to report at the next meeting, how many loads of loam would be necessary for Dubois Park also the cost with some suggestions regarding the improvement of same.

Respectfully

Feb 7 1901

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held February 7-1901- at the Park Lodge=

Present

Commissioners Speckels Chairman.
" Lloyd
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Martin.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Report of Supt McLaren for the month of January was read and ordered placed on file.

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald=
Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to select and make full arrangements for the leasing of fish exhibits to the Southern Pacific Co. for the Chicago exposition also the President authorized to present a bill of $200.00 to the Park Commissioners for damages sustained to the fish exhibits loaned to them: caused by the poor packing in returning the same.

Record

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Martin.
That a record is kept of all Park employees showing name, date of appointment, name of discharged also the date and cause of discharge.

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald=
The Secty was instructed to advertise for bids for 1500 ~~[illegible]~~ cords to be delivered to Golden Gate Park also same amount to Burnal Park to be delivered within 30 days from date of contract

On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm Lloyd=
The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Standard Oil Co inviting them to bid and give estimate of what it would cost to instal a plant for the using of fuel oil. also what the oil will cost by contract

July 7/1901 cont'd Comm'r McDonald reports as a committee on the letting of the purilege of printing and circulating the Park rules & programme:

On motion Comm'r Stanton sec'd Comm'r Martin Comm'r McDonald was authorized to enter into contract with Messrs Mysell & Rollins to publish & circulate this programme at a monthly rate of $40.00 same to exist at the pleasure of the Commissioners but not longer than January 1st 1902 and at all times to be under the supervision of the Park Commissioners and Superintendent of Parks

The labor demand of W. H. Moore for labor performed on the grounds of the City & County Hospital. He was instructed to present the same to the Board of Health

Comm'r Martin as a committee of one to see the Olympic Club holding a team foot race through the Park reports recommends that permission be

On motion Comm'r Stanton sec'd Comm'r McDonald that Comm'r Stanton & McDonald be appointed a committee to investigate the affairs of the Japanese & Tea Garden also to ascertain the amount of ground should be required for the further improvement of the Japanese Garden

On motion of Comm'r Martin sec'd Comm'r Lloyd Comm'r Stanton was appointed as a committee to appear before the Board of Supervisors to request that Board to petition the Railroad Commissioners against the S.P. Co. removing the tracks surrounding the Park, particularly the Conduct Fountain & requesting the Railroad Co. to consult with the Park Commissioners on the laying of tracks.

On motion Comm'r Martin sec'd Comm'r McDonald Superintendent was instructed to send for bids and report to Comm'r Stanton to investigate and check up.

On motion Comm'r Stanton sec'd Comm'r McDonald

July 7/1901 cont'd

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald the office hours of the secretary and accountant be from 9 AM to 5 PM.

On motion Comm McDonald sec'd Comm Lloyd. The salary of Prof Gulick was increased to 60$ per

Demands for the month of January 1901 amounted to $18 330.24 Paid $12898.24 Unclaimed $5432.00

Philip D. Gay

2-21-01 | At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held Thursday the Feb 21st 1901 at the Palace Hotel:

were present

Commissioner Speckels Chair=
Martin
Reid
McDonald
Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communication from D. J. Sullivan superintendent of the west side City Hall Park was read & ordered filed

Offer of Wm C. Kaelin of 2 brass cannon for sale, ordered filed

Brass Cannon

Communication from the Electrical Construction Co was read & ordered filed

Communication from the Electrical Construction Co was read & ordered filed

Communication from Wm Dooley was ordered filed:

Committee

Committee on Tennis Courts & lighting question was granted further time:

Communication from Cut Flower Company was read & ordered filed

The matter was referred to Comm Stanton to report at the next meeting.

Communication from Jesse was referred to Comm Stanton to report at the next meeting.

Show Cases

Commissioner Stanton was authorized to purchase three show cases for the museum

Paid Suits

Comm McDonald was appointed a committee of one to look into the claims of the Residential Quarters and report at the next meeting

Feb 21st 01 Continued

The following bids were received in answer to the advertisement for sale for 1500 more or less cubic yards of loam to be delivered to Dubois Park, also 1500 more or less cubic yards of loam to be delivered to Bemal Park: same to be delivered within thirty days from date of contract

From	Bemal Park	Dubois Park.	Amount entitled to contract
Jno Greely	49¢ per cu yd	49¢ per cu yd	$750.00 / 700.00
M. J. Sullivan	. . .	49¢ . . .	$1000.00
P. McHugh	. . .	42¢ . . .	$840.00
Union Paving & Contg Co	70¢ . . .	70¢ .	$1200
[illegible]	[illegible]		$1120

Bid motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald.
That contract for furnishing & delivering 1500 cu yd of loam to Bemal Park, be awarded to Comm McHugh his bid being the lowest: also
The contract for delivering 1500 cu yd of loam to Dubois be awarded to P. McHugh, his bid being the lowest.

[illegible] McDonald sec'd Comm Stanton
[illegible] to clean Flow Lake

Submitted

Mch 7/01 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening March 7-1901 at the Park Lodge

were present Comm-McDonald chair.
Lloyd
Stanton
Martin

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Report of Supt McKean for the month of February was read & filed and on motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com Stanton the Supt was authorized to purchase the Handy Horse Mowing Machine as recommended in his report.

The Committee on Outdoor Statue Jackson Sunday questions Tennis Courts Cannon were granted further time.

Communications read from Mr. Westwood & Mr Lincoln Cole and United Gas Improvement agreeing the Board to supply fuel oil to pumping station at

Mr Ned Mr Higgins Manager to install a new [illegible] at the pumping station [illegible]

Request from Mr Cain Asst Board to have [illegible] a collection of specimens of Coal Dust presented

On motion Comm Lloyd, sec'd Com Martin
Comm Stanton was authorized to purchase 10 show cases and it seems for the museum as requested by the curator

Show Cases

A delegation of [illegible] Mr Cain Asst Gardener Cain addressed the Board and known their wishes in [illegible] Hyde requested the Purchase of Museum with [illegible] connecting Tunnels: and on motion of Comm Lloyd, sec'd Comm Martin

That a Tunnel be [illegible] connecting the Museum granting a permit from the President of the Board to use the South Door [illegible]

1/16/07 cont'd

submit at the next meeting rules and regulations to govern the automobiles in the Park.

Donation

The tender of a book & pistol to the museum by Wm Huntley was accepted

Communication from M. W. Foote Cala Paris Commissioner stating that the Commission did not feel justified in allowing the claim of $200 for the damages sustained to the field specimens, from them. That matter was referred to Comm Speckels for adjustment

Polo Game

A petition from the Burlingame Club requesting permission to play polo on the stock vacation ground Wed afternoon 2 to 6 1/2-01.
On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Martin.
And carried Permitting petition granted

Donations

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Martin
The donations received at the museum be accepted: carried
the two broken field specimens as presented by the Cala Paris Comm

Petition from the property owners & residents in the vicinity of the park requesting a portion of the Park Lodge for living purposes was ordered filed: The Commissioners agreeing to meet Mayor Rolph at his office Wed afternoon to confer with him on the question

Supt Locke was instructed to file a monthly statement showing the names, and causes of absentees of Park employ

Philip J Fay

1901

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held
at the Park Lodge.

were present Comm. Spreckels chair
" McLeod
" Martin
" Hunton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Report of Supt McLaren on his investigation of oil burning plants.
recommending the Wilcox Burners for the Polytechnic station
On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Hunton
that the recommendation in which it is found is carried out,
just prior to the installing of the said oil burners, recommend.

Offer of S. P. R. R. to present a section also requesting 4 cts per
ton cash daily instructed to inquire stating that we accept this
cage. that will accept the load if presented by them

List of Donations Grants as named at the meeting held
Daily to acknowledge acceptance to the

Petition from the owners of teams handling manure and by
the Commissioners stating that the price of hay
by the teamsters. the price on one & two horse wagons will be
increased, on account of the increase in the price of hay

Purchase Teams

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Hunton
Supt McLaren was instructed to report at the next meeting
regarding the purchasing of two teams

Auditor Wells requested the Park Commission to file an
estimate of the annual receipts & disbursements
of G. G. Park and Squares for the fiscal year of 1901-1902
[illegible]
appropriation of $425

March 21 cont'd

On motion Comr Martin sec'd Comr Stanton the Secty was instructed to request Mr Shaipe to submit plans & the estimate cost for the proposed addition to the Commissioners room for library purposes

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr McDonald- That permission be granted to M. Higgins to enclose the Arkansas Quarter according to the plans submitted by him. And for the first year to confine himself to the constructing of roads & walks.

Comr Martin reports as a committee on claims & accounts recommending the meeting of as many counts as there shall be found to be on hand and that Comr McDonald sec'd Comr Stanton the same be audited & allowed and the Secretary auth-back stubs & etc be authorized

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr McDonald- That the cannon so kindly donated by the "Examiner" be placed in Columbia Square & the Secty to return the thanks of the commission for the same:

Children Quarters

On motion Comr McDonald sec'd Comm Stanton It was decided not to renew the lease to the present tenant of the Childrens Quarters: and Comm'r McDonald granted further time on the grounds

Auto.

Comm Martin as a committee on rules and regulations of Automobiles: reported: and was requested to formulate rules and present same at a special meeting to be called for the same:

Fish exhibits

Comm Shuckle reported the receiving of $100.00 from the Cala-Pais Company for the damages sustained to the fish exhibits

Comm Shuckle reported as a committee upon the printing of the Annual Report

Vouchers

Orders made on
Labor- 14954.105
Matte- 7186.49
$22,140.64

Philip Keary.

Jan 29/01 At a special meeting of the Park Commission held in the
special Assembly Room, Mills Bldg. Friday afternoon
at two o'clock

Comm. Martin chair.
McDonald
Kloyd
Stanton

Comm McDonald as a committee of one on matters pertaining
to the Children's Quarters "be instructed" to attend to letting
leasing of Children Quarters and leasing the same to a Mrs Hickok at the same rate paid
by the present tenant
On motion Comm Kloyd sec'd Comm Stanton
That the report be received and that the Park Commissioners
take charge and operate the Children Quarters for six months
employing a Supt and assistant at a salary to be fixed
by Comm McDonald, also a matron at a salary of $
per month, all to be paid monthly
Also to have gas burners put in the
Bldg saw to be collected daily by Miss Hannan and deposited in
the [illegible] and all bills to be approved by the Park Commissioners
the management Park Commissioners to be satisfactory to the Park Commissioners
a lease may be given for a term of one year

On motion Comm Kloyd sec'd Comm Stanton
No Old Quid Quits That Comm McDonald be appointed a committee of one to
investigate and report at the next meeting on the conditions
and suggestions of improvements for the Children Quarters.

On motion Comm Kloyd sec'd Comm McDonald
that Park Commissioners be instructed to [illegible]
[illegible] gas burning in [illegible] and
the Park Commissioners to defray all expenses incurred.

On Motion Comm Kloyd sec'd Comm Stanton
That agreement of the Chicago [illegible]
Portsmouth in Portsmouth Square the Supt was instructed to remove his
Portsmouth

On motion Comm Kloyd sec'd Comm Stanton
Stands Comm McDonald was appointed a committee of one to report
Why? at the next meeting on the locations and conditions of the
Quit stands in Old Chi

1901
Mch 29
Special Cont.

Commissioners Martin as a committee of one on rules and regulations governing Automobiles in G.G. Park: introduces the following Rules etc to be passed at this next meeting.

Auto Rules

Rules and Regulations
Automobiles

THE PARK COMMISSIONERS DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Rules and Regulations Governing Automobiles in Golden Gate Park

UNDER ORDINANCE PASSED OCTOBER 11, 1900

SECTION 1. No horseless carriage, motor-wagon or automobile shall enter or go upon any driveway or part of any Park in the City and County of San Francisco, except upon that driveway in Golden Gate Park, commencing at the entrance known as Waller Street Entrance and terminating at the exit on The Great Highway, which drive is known as the South Drive; and The Great Highway south from the southerly line of Golden Gate Park to its termination; and only such vehicles as are exclusively used for pleasure are to be permitted on the above described drives at any time.

SECTION 2. Every automobile shall be passed upon by an experienced engineer, designated by the Board of Park Commissioners. The said engineer shall investigate and examine such vehicles upon the following points: maximum speed, facility for changing speed, brake power, starting, turning, backing, signals, lights and bells, condition and age of machines, safety valve and apparatus, noise, vapor or odor exhaled, and any other matter that he may deem advisable to the end that no dangerous or unduly annoying machines shall be admitted to the Park. He shall examine the motorman or engineer of said vehicle as to his knowledge of the machine, the rules of the road, and shall personally witness an exhibition of his skill in using the same.

SECTION 3. Upon satisfactory examination a numbered certificate, describing the engineer by name and address, personal appearances, and in any other way which seems desirable, and designating the style of carriage and its motive power, shall be issued and signed by the President of the Board and the Examiner. This certificate shall be produced whenever called for by the members of the Park Commission, the Superintendent or the Park police. A fee of $2.00 shall be charged for the same and a piece of leather, bearing the number of the certificate, arranged so as to be fastened on the back seat of the carriage, shall be issued with the certificate, and this number shall at all times be carried in the Park. A certificate shall be required for every individual automobile and it shall be unlawful for any other motorman than the one described in the permit to operate the said automobile; and the said permit shall be revocable at any time at the pleasure of the Board

SECTION 4. All such licensed automobiles shall follow the rules of the road and be subject to the ordinances of the Park Commission and shall be operated in such a way as to avoid frightening horses and with due regard to the safety and pleasure of the patrons of the Park. Every automobile shall be provided with a suitable bell, which is to be sounded only when necessary. Every automobile shall carry two lighted lamps from a half an hour after sunset until a half an hour before sunrise when in the Park.

Speed shall not exceed the rate of ten miles per hour, but at no time may such a rate of speed be maintained as shall frighten any horses or individuals using the walks and drives of the Park; and should a horse exhibit signs of fright the automobile shall be slowed down or come to a full stop until the danger has passed.

SECTION 5. The above permit shall not include the right of racing, exhibiting of machines nor the teaching the use of the same in the Park. Permission is granted only for continuous pleasure driving on the main carriage road as hereinbefore described without undue loitering. No more than two carriages shall at any time ride abreast. Only self-contained automobiles shall be included in this permission, except in case of accident, when one carriage may assist another.

SECTION 6. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and shall forfeit his permit and shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail of the City and County of San Francisco not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or both

August 14 1901 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening August 14-1901 at the Park Lodge

were present

Commissioner Sexton Chm
" McDonald
" Martin
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Last Last Report of Supt. McKeon for the month of July read.
Com Sexton Com Martin Sec'y Com Lloyd
It was accepted, ordered filed, and the Supt authorized to erect
1 suitable urinals as recommended in his report in the comfort station
ing at the east end of the bicycle path, and running parallel
with same to the music court

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald
Bills Bills and indebtedness as communicated to the Board in monthly
by Comm Martin be approved and accepted. same to be under
ordinary recommendation passed 6-1 Nay

Flowers Communication from the Florists Ass'n with schedule of advanced rates: ordered filed:

Bid Bid of Holbrook Mr Jones a 6000 Gal Oil Tank for $1185 filed

Show Cases Bids received on show cases for the museum, and referred to Com Sexton who was authorized to purchase such cases as he may deem necessary not to exceed $ and to position his cases as he may deem best

Children Quarters — Comm McDonald as the committee on Children Quarters reported: That in said installed is satisfactory as to light and ventilation as well; and recommends a thorough cleaning painting and whitewashing of the premises.

On motion Com Lloyd seconded Comm Martin

The matters and claims of the Children Quarters is referred to Comm McDonald for adjustment and is authorized to carry into effect any improvements or alterations he may see fit to carry into effect

Seal Rocks — Comm McDonald as to the leasing of Seal Rocks and reported recommends to the Supervisors the passage of the property if it can be obtained at a reasonable figure

Fruit Stands — Comm McDonald as a committee on fruit stands on the park was granted further time.

Ordinance: — Com Lloyd introduced the resolution: Ordinance for the protection of the Seal Rocks. To be passed at the next scheduled meeting

Ordinance for the protection of the Seal Rocks in the City and County of San Francisco, etc. declaring it unlawful to shoot at or near any of said rocks.

The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco do ordain as follows:

Sec 1 It shall be unlawful for any person to shoot at, hunt, wound, or kill any bird, fowl, seal or animal on, at or near any of the rocks known as the Seal Rocks lying near and southerly [illegible] from the Cliff House in the City and County of San Francisco.

Sec 2. No person shall discharge any fire-works of any kind or any firearms towards or upon any fire-works of any kind known as the Seal Rocks in the City and County of San Francisco violating any of the provisions of this order shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding [illegible]

in the County Jail for not more than six months, or both such fine and imprisonment:

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com: it's Ordered:
to the That the Clerk was instructed to have the toilets for the women
music stand at the music Court house in Ward No 13 made to have, and to
supply sufficient toilet paper, using a Patent roller, or some

lighting Com Hunter was given until June 1st to have the lighting

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Lloyd:
Cut the roads It is Ordered that the Chairman of the
Supervisors cause the roads, not to exceed [illegible]

Powers to On motion of Com Martin sec'd Com Lloyd:
Sell dummy during the State Fair and [illegible] at
Party in the City. Powers shall be sent to them daily
with Compliments of the Board Com Hunter voting no.

On motion of Com Martin sec'd Com Lloyd:
Clerk It is ordered by the Board that the Clerk be
published for a Libran and Rich within the Statute
appropriated

April 20 01 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Saturday April 20-1901 at the Park Lodge.

Present Comr McDonald chair
Stanton
Lloyd.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Oil Tank: Bid Bid of The Risdon Steel Works to furnish and erect a five Oil Tank 10 ft diameter x 7 ft high for Seven hundred & fifty dollars for $350.00 - filed

Bronze for Fountain. Bid: Bid of The Bridgeport Brass Foundry to furnish additional bronze castings of Statuary Bronze from models for $300.00 ... Trimmings as per models for $160.00

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald -
Commissioner Stanton be empowered to purchase the bronze trimmings and vases for the two fountains, and that he be instructed to erect the same.

B.H. Insurance On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton
The insurance on the Boat House be renewed for $35.

Oil Quotations from Union Oil Co

Teamsters Communications from the Conty Teamsters Union asking the P. Comrs to ... schedule rates for hired teams. filed

Epworth League Request from the Epworth League for a ... decorations during their convention July 18 to 21st
On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton
The Secty was instructed to invite the President of the League to appear before the Board at ... and state ...

Stamford Land Co Protest from the Stamford Land Co against the removal of loam from the studs referred to the Board of Public ...

Kindergarten Letter of thanks from the Mail Dock Kindergarten for the outing given its children at the Rowayton ...

(K)

Museum The donations and loans as reported by the Curator of the Museum were accepted, and ordered acknowledged:

D. Kalecall The offer of Dr Kalecall to sell his collections of curiosities for So Sea Island declined no funds:

Gift unspoken The offer of Hon Carrington to sell and remove for $175 Island to Comr Stanton

Carrington The Standard Embankment question and entry was ordered at the Playgrounds with Burtings

Comr Stanton was authorized to select the Scenic Selection of pictures for the museum and to remit same not not to exceed $125.00 per year in expense.

The letter of thanks from the Southern Pacific Co for use of fish exhibits ordered filed.

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr Lloyd:
Comr McDonald was absorbed as committee to confer with the proper authorities regarding the removal of the Park Band & other matters pertaining to it.

Rules On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd by Comr Stanton
The rules and regulations submitted by Comr Stanton for the government and management of the museum were adopted and ordered posted in the museum

Hay On motion Comr Lloyd and sec'd Comr Stanton
The city was instructed to advertise for bids for the usual supply of Hay Barley & Bran.

On motion of Comr Lloyd the matter of procuring the building of sheds on the city park was laid over until the next meeting.

The Clerk was instructed to issue a Park permit to the Knights of the Golden Eagle on the first of May: in the vicinity of the Cliff House

Bids

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for Hose.

Name	3000 ft 1"	3000 ft 1¼"	certified Check
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co	.16	25	115.00
Bowers Rubber Co	.15½	.19½	105.00
Gutta Percha & Rubber Co	.16	.18	102.00
Goodyear Rubber Co	19 & 2.	.23½	
	15½ Duty	19	125
Gorham Rubber Co	.17½	.21⅞	120
New York Belting & Pkg Co.	.21	.26	41
Pacific Coast Rubber Co.	¾" .18	.22½	121
Reviere Rubber Co.	.18		

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Saturday afternoon April 27-1901 in the Assembly Room. Mills Bldg.
were present
Comm Stanton
" Lloyd
" McDonald

May Day The object of the meeting was to reconsider the question of giving a May Day festival:

Rescinded: On motion Comm McDonald sec'd by Comm Lloyd
The resolution as passed at the last regular meeting to give a May Day celebration to the children in G. G. Park: be rescinded.

Rule: On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald.
That it be the sense of this meeting to establish a social meeting on annual festival and recreation for the children on May 1st on Sunday afternoon.

Phillips

May 2-1901

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge Thursday evening May 2-1901
Vice-president Comm Stanton in chair
Lloyd
McDonald.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt Report

Report of Supt Wilson for the month of April read and on motion of Comm Lloyd seconded by McDonald the report be accepted and filed and the suggestions and recommendations carried into effect, and the Secy instructed to advertise for 2000 cu yds of loan, to be delivered before Sept 30-01

Donations

Report of Curator C.P. Wilcox listing the donations and loans as noted. On motion Comm Lloyd seconded by McDonald that the donations & loans be accepted & acknowledged.

On motion Comm Lloyd & McDonald
that action on the matter of the location of Superintendent's office be deferred until next meeting

Demands

The demands for month of April amounted to $23223.37 were approved & ordered paid
Labor $ 15884.43
Material 7338.94

Fountain

Letter from Mayor Hulett stating that a drinking fountain will be donated by Emmett to be placed in the Park, on motion Comm Lloyd seconded by Comm McDonald the matter was referred to Comm Stanton and Lee to report at the next meeting

Letter from Mrs Hulett requesting permission to erect a Japanese Garden; was ordered filed and action postponed

Letter of appreciation and thanks from the Standard Kindergarten for the outing given their children at the Park

May 2 01 Request from the Bedford Kindergarten for awarding Mayo-
The matter was referred to Comm McDonald.

Requisition for Bds of Public Requisition from The Board of Public Works to be printed
in City Hall Square.
On Motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald
The Secy was instructed to notify the Board of Public Wks
that owing to the restraining order issued in Police Court
which prevents them granting the request-

Reward for Capture of Criminals On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald.
The Pad Comm offer $100 as a reward for their arrest and
conviction of any person, killing or shooting at the seal
the Seal Rock; and the Secy instructed to have notices
same posted about the Wharfs, City Hall Horse & Beach.

Supplies for Police On motion Comm McDonald sec'd Comm Lloyd
The secy was instructed to call for bids for Oilcloth etc
and two dozen gum coats to be furnished Supt of Police
dozen for Chipmunks and not exceed 6$ per doz for Squirrels

Extra Help Museum. On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald
That one Janitress @ 32$ per mo and one messenger @ $1 per
day be engaged for service in the Museum

Funds for Supt Public Schools On motion Comm McDonald sec'd Comm Stanton
The Supt was instructed to furnish some information
to the University of Calif on the decoration of Grant Hall

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald
The Secy was instructed to notify all known owners
of property fronting on Dolores St between 16th
and Duncan to remove the Eucalyptus trees

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald
The Secy was instructed to advertise for bids to furnish
and construct curbs on Steiner St between 16th & 17th
plans and specification furnished by the Engineer and on file
in the Secy office.

May 2. 01

Bids on Feed

The following bids were received in answer to the advertized proposals for furnishing Hay. Rlld Barley Oats & Bran

Name	75 Tons Wheat Hay	75 Tons Oat Hay	900 Lbs. Rlld Barley	1150 Lbs. Red & Gray Oats	75 Lbs Bran	Accompanied check
E. Augeltinger	11.25	11.50	17.50	1.50 ✗ 1.45	17.00	350.00
H. F. Ellis & Co.	11.85	11.45	19.45	1.55 ✗ 1.45	18.00	do
Sanders & Co	10.50	9.50	17.50	1.35	16.00	
Scott & Magner	11.00	10.00	16.50	1.45	--	300
Peters & Lewis	11 97½	11.35	.87½ ✗	1.57 1.56	= .91	285

The matter came before the Board Sec'd Comm'r McDonald

The contracts were awarded to the lowest bidders they being Sanders & Co on Wheat & Oat Hay, Red & Gray Oats also Bran and Scott & Magner on Rolled Barley.

Pius Kelly
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening May 16-1901 at the Park Lodge
were present Comm Martin-Clair
" Stanton
" McDonald

Minutes of former meeting read and approved:

Action on ordinance prohibiting the killing of seals was laid over till next meeting

Offer rec'd Elk The offer of D.L. King to sell Elk at $6.50 per pair was rejected:

Donations Donations and loans as listed in Secretary's report were received and referred

Letter of United Oil Producers received filed:

Communication from D.T. Masuda requesting permission to erect a tea house in the Japanese Garden
Masuda granted Motion Comm McDonald second Comm Stanton
That they be requested to remove all articles now in the Japanese Garden Council to do.

Request from Knights of Columbus to have their [illegible] was denied pending this passing the same ordinance as for automobiles:

Removes Booths Sq. Motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm Martin
Supt McDonald was instructed to have all the booths in Lafayette Square removed

Meetings Motion Comm McDonald sec'd Comm Stanton
The day on meeting be changed to the 1st and 3rd Thursday [illegible]

Offer rec'd The offer of Kent L.A. Hayes to loan a bird to the Park was accepted [illegible]

Minutes The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals

Lumber

Firm	2" x 4" Selects per M	Common Selects per M	Imperial Size per M		
Scott Lumber Co					Rejected Norbeck
Humboldt Lumber Mill	17 75	1 [illegible]	1" x 4" - 2 00 3 00 5 00	100	00
R. L. Jones Co.	16 [illegible]	15 00	1" x 4" - 50 2 00 3 00 5 00	20	
Perkins Lumber Co	16 00 Imperial 16 00	1" Selects	1" x 4" - 55 2 00 3 00	00	
P. Puryt	21 90 S	[illegible]	[illegible]		

On motion Comr Stanton seconded Comr McDonald.
The contract be awarded to The Humboldt Lumber Mill Co. to supply Redwood selects: and the contract for pine selects be awarded to R L Jones Co [illegible]

Coal

Firm	50 Tons Pea Egg	20 Tons House Coal	Check
Thomas Morton	14 30	10 00	100
J. L. Wilson Co	15 00	9 50	94

On motion Comr McDonald seconded Comr Stanton:
The contract for Pea Egg be awarded to Thos Morton and the contract for House Coal be awarded to J. L. Wilson

P. L. Tank

Firm	3/16" Steel Tank cap 6000 Gal	Check
Bay City Iron Mfg Co	370 00	
Risdon Iron Works	375 00	
Pac Coast Boiler Works	[illegible]	

On motion Comr Stanton seconded Comr McDonald:
The contract be awarded to the Risdon Iron Works as the bid without conditions stated.

Cement and Lime

Bidder	50 Barrels Portland Cement		
Lewis Lime Co	2 95	1 75	
E. Appleton	2.85 Hansen 2.50 Natural	1.67½	no check with bid
[illegible]	2.80	1 [illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible] contract was referred to Supt McShane to [illegible] with power

[illegible] awarded to [illegible]

Gravel

Bidder	2000 Yds			
Miller Closs & Scott	1.60	1.45		
Holbrook Merrill & Stetson	1.60			
Dunham Carrigan & Co	1.60			
Judson Manfg Co	2.00			

On motion Colvin Mc Donald Sec'd Coyle Stanton
All bids be rejected: and Surrid the Commissioners Quarter
enough, the instructed to advertise for Gravel only

20.000 Cu yds Gravel

Bidder	Per Cu yd	Class A
Cain & Keough	5000 .47½	
Union Paving & Contg Co	5000 .50	
Flinn & Tracy	5000 .46½	
C Sanborn	5000 .90	
	.98	
	1.00	

On motion Coyle Stanton Sec'd Cain Mc Donald:
All bids be rejected: and the Secy instructed to readvertise
for the same amount

June 12. | A special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioners Matins office Wednesday June 12-1901 and present

Comm Martin Chair.
Stanton
Kloyd.

Removed Stand | On motion Comm. Kloyd sec'd Comm Stanton. Supt McShane was instructed to remove the stand at the [illegible] and the secretary instructed to give final notice to the occupa[illegible]

[illegible] were received and ordered to be [illegible]

[illegible] as follows

Bidder	20000 cu yds	
P. McHugh	.97½ ¢	1900
Union Paving & Contg Co	.86 8 ¢	1800
P. McHugh	.8[illegible]	[illegible]

On motion Comm Kloyd, sec'd Comm Stanton:
[illegible] Supt McShane was authorized to purchase loam at 80¢ per cubic yard in lots not exceeding 150 yds: also to investigate and report at the next meeting [illegible] purchasing and transporting of loam located in the [illegible]

Whitehead rock | Whitehead and Kinnicutt Oil:

Bidder	15 Tons Whitehead	5 2/3 Blo Solid Kinnicutt	Diff
A. H. Mavers & Co	7¼ ¢	74¢	
Whittier Columbia Co	7¼ ¢	74¢	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	5[illegible] ¢	[illegible]	

On motion Comm Kloyd, sec'd Comm Stanton
Contract for Whitehead was awarded to Whittier Columbia Co
[illegible] contract [illegible]

Old Cow Point Steel.

Bidder	5000 lbs.	1000 lbs.	1 lb.	Check
Dunham Carrigan & Hayden Co	16.25	15.25	10.15	
Clarke Co	17.25	12.75	10.65	
Hallock Merrill & Stilson	13.½	9.½	8.15	
Geo. H Dayton Co	17.50	11.50	11.5	
(3) [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	14.22	14.21	12.	
Jas. A. Scott & Co	22.	17.50		

Recommend Com. Report accept Com. Stanton
Mr. Scott and Merrill to [illegible]
bid being [illegible]

Passed.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held June 22-1911 at the Park Lodge
Were present
Comm Hunter
Comm McDonald

Regular meeting adjourned Voted that the meeting adjourned to Monday afternoon June 24-@2PM.

Petitions Petitions & communications were taken subject to a fully attended meeting approval:

Improvements The request from the Epworth League to improve the Mineral Wells Park was referred to Supt McLaren to ascertain the nature of the improvements desired:

Buena Vista Park The request from the Park Hill Imp Club to improve Buena Vista Park was referred to Supt McLaren to investigate & report at the next meeting

Bust Queen Wilhelmina The offer of the terra cotta bust of Queen Wilhelmina to the Park Museum by Mr Gump Jr. was accepted:

Curator's Accident The reports of the Curator & Daxidermist were accepted and donations ordered acknowledge.

Goethe-Schiller The request of the Goethe-Schiller monument committee to erect and locate the memorial in Reservation [illegible] of the monument: suggesting the Jubilee May [illegible] after completion:
The request and suggestion granted & Secty instructed to notify the committee.

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com'r Martins office Wednesday June 12-1901-

were present Com'r Martin Chair
" Hawkins
" Virgil

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At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge July 4th 1901

were present

Comm. Lloyd Shaw
McDonald
Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved and on motion Com. Lloyd the suggestions and recommendations of the minority Meeting of June 22-1901 be adopted and acted upon the minutes

minority report

Report

Report of Supt McShane for the months of May & June was read and on motion Com Stanton sec Com McDonald the report be accepted and the Supt authorized to carry into effect any suggestions or recommendations

The amounts for the month of May amounted to 24.372.86
£. 16.322.14
M. 8050.22

June. £. 16261.70 25.032.4
M 8761.72

Seats

Action on the ordinance prohibiting the Killing of birds laid over

Communication from Mercer Beasley & Stetson requesting the withdrawal of their bid on a car load of Sal Pipe as advertised on account of error in figuring price given by Com Stanton see Com McDonald
That the bid of Beasley & Stetson being in error their request to withdraw the same be granted

Award of Bids

Communication from Durham Corrigan Hayden & Stating that their bid will be the lowest Bonded & Responsible to withdraw their bid request that the contract be given them.

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Com McDonald
The contract for one car load of Sal pipe advertised for be awarded to D.C.H.Co their bid being the lowest

Emergency Hospital

Communication from the Board of Health requesting that a conference be held regarding the election & location of a Park emergency hospital:
On motion Com Stanton Secd Com McDonald
It was agreed to meet the representatives of the Bd of Health in the assembly room Mills Bldg @ 1 PM Friday afternoon inst.

Permission to test Wave Motor

J. J Graffe requested permission to use the Olympic Salt Water Co wharf for the purpose of testing his portable auto wave motor:
He was referred to the Olympic Salt Water Co

Protest against Oil

The protest from the Stable & Carriage Owners Assn. to the using of oil on the park roads
On motion Com Stanton the comm was ordered filed.

On motion Com Stanton secd Com McDonald
Supt McLaren was authorized to sink an 8 inch well at the westerly end of the Park ... the expenditure ...

Communication regarding the attendance of the Fruit Stand at the Haight St entrance ordered filed

Communication from the Board of Public Works with ... that $15000 be set aside for payment of Street sprinkling contract: ordered filed.

On motion Com Stanton Sec'd Com McDonald
Supt McLaren was instructed to erect water closets ... grounds at the children Quarters.

Expenditures

Secty was instructed to furnish a ... statement of purchases and expenditures ... Quarters ...

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to Saturday July 20th 3 PM

A conference meeting was held in the assembly Room of the Mills Bldg. July 5-1901

Were present Com Stanton
" McDonald
Dr Buckley
" Bonnell

Park Hospital

The object of the meeting being to discuss and decide on a location for the erection of a Park emergency hospital: It was agreed to give the necessary space from the Walled & Stanyan Sts entrance for the

At a regular meeting of the P. G. held at the P. Lodge July 27-1901

were present

Com McDonald Chair
" Martin
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Supt Report — Report of Supt McLaren for the month of July was read and On motion Com Martin Sec'd Com Stanton that the suggestions and recommendations be carried into effect.

Report of Auditors — Report of Auditors read and on motion Com Martin the report be received and filed:

Seals — action on the ordinance against the killing of seals: read etc

Flag — Flag offer to sell Alaska Flag to the Park: declined.

Secretary — The report of the curator and Secretary were read and donations ordered acknowledge.

Alamo — Offer to sell relics of the Alamo: ordered filed.

Letters — Communication from G. Bauer & Co. regarding the publishing the Golden Quarter with Souvenir: ordered filed

Manila Bay monument — Letter from Mayor Phelan acknowledging the receipt of permission to erect the Manila Bay monument in Union Square: filed.

Relief Map — The request from Lick to have the use of the relief map of California loaned: agreed to Com Stanton

Dolores Park — On motion Com Martin Sec'd Com Stanton The Supt was instructed to continue with the improving of Dolores Park but not to exceed $200.00 in expenditure

The matter of insuring the Hall Collection was referred to Com Martin with power to act. Com Stanton

Bid ..
Wtr

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for 500 BBls of Crude Fuel Oil to be delivered at the pumping station Golden Gate Park

Bidder	Per barrell in bbl	Check.
United Oil Producers	90¢	
Standard Oil Co.	88¢	44⁰⁰
E. Aigeltinger	1.10¢	50⁰⁰
Hearst Oil Co	87½¢	60⁰⁰

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com Martin
The be awarded to The Hearst Oil Co they bid being the lowest.

Philip J Ec

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm'r Martins office Thursday August 1st 1901.

Present Comm'r Martin Chair
" Stanton
" Lloyd
" McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Stanton
The ordinance as introduced and read at the meeting of April 4th 01 prohibiting the killing of seals was unlobted on Printing

The report of the Curator on donations rec'd was read & accepted & he instructed to acknowledge donations with thanks

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd R. McDonald.
The matter of insurance on articles in the museum was referred to Comm'rs Stanton & McDonald to investigate the cost and rate of insuring under blanket policies for the sum of $50.000 & and report same at the next meeting

On motion Comm'rs Stanton & Lloyd
That owing to an accident which occurred to [illegible] in the museum, that no one be admitted on the Roof of said building until further notice.

On motion Comm'rs Stanton & McDonald
That Twenty dollars be added to Miss Nichols salary which is to defray all the expenses of laundry, and to same to exist at the pleasure of the Board.

On motion Comm'rs Lloyd and Martin
Comm'rs Stanton, McDonald & Martin were appointed to consider the publishing a book on the Parks by Mr Park Commissioners, to call for estimates & conditions, also stating about the cost, and report to the Board to the publishing of the same.

Jap Garden

Commrs Stanton & McDonald were requested to report on conditions and matters pertaining to the management of the Japanese garden

On motion Commrs Stanton & Lloyd

Commrs Martin & McDonald were as a committee to confer with the Board of Health, regarding the erection of the proposed Emergency Hospital on the Park.

Phil J Fay.

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 7-1901 at the office of Comm'r Martin:

Present Comm'r McDonald.
" Stanton
" Martin

On motion duly carried Com'r McDonald was elected Chairman of the meeting:

The meeting was called for the purpose of examining the plans for the new Park Emergency Hospital.
After considerable discussion joined in by Doctors Bunnell & Buckley (of B'd of Health) it was regularly moved & seconded that the Park emergency hospital building be constructed at a cost not to exceed $8267.00, the B'd of Health to insist not less than $4500.00 of this sum.
The building to be constructed of stone in accordance with plans submitted by T. J. Hawk.
Application was made by the proprietors of the Buffalo Courier for permission to sell copies of their paper during the exercises of the unveiling of the Goethe-Schiller monument Aug. 12- Said application was denied.

Mr Bundschu appeared before the board and asked and asked permission to have a platform erected in front of the music stand to accomodate 175 singers.
The Supt was instructed to assist the committee to the amount of $60.00 in the building of the platform.
No further business the meeting adjourned.

Conference held Aug 15-1901 at the Park Lodge. between Commissioners Stanton & McDonald.

Curator Wilcox In regard to Curator Wilcox's letter requesting that he be granted two weeks leave of absence it was the sense of the board that his request be denied.

Ins. The question of insurance on the Park Museum went over until next meeting.

The matter of signing sustained by child at Children's Court went over till next meeting

Phil J Fay
Sec

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 16 01
in Comm's Lloyd's office:

Present

Comm Stanton: Chair:
" McDonald.
" Lloyd.

The question of the erection of the Park Emergency Hospital was discussed: Dr Bonnell & Mr Harp being present
After considerable discussion. Mr Harp the Architect was instructed to submit the plans at the next meeting. and Supt McLaren to proceed with the laying of the concrete foundation = The building to cost about $500.00 of which the Park Commissioners are to pay one half and the Bd of Health to pay $300.00 @ $ 7.00 per month.

On motion Com Lloyd sec Com McDonald
That the matter of injury as sustained by Mr Hastings at the Children Quarters be investigated by Supt McLaren and reported at next meeting with facts in the case of the same:

Sept 7 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm Martins office Saturday Sept 7-1901-

Present Com Martin Chair
. Stanton
. McDonald

minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Report Supt McKains report for the month of August read: and accepted with instructions to carry out the suggestions and recommaditions contained therein. He was also instructed to call upon atty Holton of the Hancase and office to defray all the expenses incurred for Doctor services and druggists bill.

Report Treasurer Woods report of donations & Loans read: and accepted: Secty instructed to acknowledge donations with thanks.

Prof Gulicks report of donations and mdvances read & accepted

Cuba Exhibit Dr Geo Kale requests that an offer be made him for the loan of his South Sea Ethnological Collection for a term of ten years to the Convention Com, Stanton, and Comm McDonald. The offer be declined: there being no funds for such purpose.

Epworth L A communication from the committee in charge of the Epworth League thanking the Park Commissioners for their kindness and decorations during their convention: Filed.

Offer The offer of an exchange by Howard Davenport for one male Cuba Pinta deer and one pair of jungle fowl: Supt authorized to make the exchange.

Petition Petition read requesting that a portion of the Park be given to the establishing of public golf links.
On motion Com Stanton & Com McDonald.
That the petition be denied, and the Secty to notify the petitioners that it would be inexpedient

Re of Pub Wks on Bicycle Stand

Communication from the Board of Public Works stating that there is a proposed resolution before their Board giving Wm Burke permission to erect and maintain a fruit stand on Stanyan St between Haight & Waller Sts:

On motion Comm Stanton 2nd Comm McDonald:

The Secty was instructed to communicate with the Board of Public Works, and state that the Park Commissioners strongly objected to any obstruction being placed on Stanyan St which is even now too narrow for the accommodation of the [illegible] and respectfully request that the [illegible]

Comm Stanton reported on the insurance of the museum and asked for further time-

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald

Ordered The Supt was instructed to place a park employee in charge of the Horse sheds at the west end of the speed track at a Salary of 1.00 per day - and the Secty [illegible] him as special officer

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald.

The Secty was instructed to advertise proposals for furnishing the Steel truck & Iron work for the new bridge in Golden Gate Park in accordance with [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Saturday September 21-1901-at Comm Martins office.

We present

Com Martin Chair
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

List of donation as recved at museum read & accepted Secty instructed to acknowledge.

Marsh's offer for Jap Garden

Communication from E.T. Marsh offering $1000.00 for one years rent of the Japanese Quarter with privilege ordered filed. - and On motion Com McDonald sec'd Comm Stanton Comm Martin was appointed a committee of one to take charge of the affairs of the Japanese Garden and to report to the Board at his earliest convenience the conditions also showing the income and expense attached to the conducting of the same. It being the sense of the board to assume control & management of the same.

Filling Bids Rejected

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald that the bids received on roof & tiling work for the Park Emergency Hospital failing to comply with the terms of the proposals in not sending a certified check - be rejected and the Secty instructed to readvertise for new bids

Sandstone bids laid over

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Stanton that action on the bids received for sandstone and brickwork for the Park Hospital lay over until the next meeting, and Order to inspect the samples and get measurements of the

Wm G. Harrison's petition

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Stanton that an answer to the petition of Wm Geer Harrison for reinstatement of suit by H. Com the Secty was instructed to notify Mr Harrison that Section Article 16 of the Charter prohibits the commission from giving employment to anyone not a resident of the City and County for one year preceding to appointment

On motion Comr Lloyd secd Comr Stanton.

Roofing museum

Comm Martin was requested to ask Mahoney Bros to suggest and advise the best method of roofing the museum building - also Comr McDonald assisted by Supt McLaren report on the same subject

Dressing Room Tennis

On motion Comr Lloyd, secd Comr Stanton

Supt McLaren was instructed to report and submit plans at the next meeting on the converting of the old music stand into a dressing room for tennis-players. Same to have apartments for ladies & gentlemen, consisting of lockers, wash stands & toilets.

Handball

On motion Comr Stanton secd Comr McDonald-

The supt was instructed to select suitable site for the erection of hand ball courts, and report same at the next meeting.

Holladay Ridout

The secty was instructed to inquire of the Mayor what action if any had been taken in the purchasing of the Holladay property.

On motion Comr Lloyd secd Comr Stanton

The was instructed to have at the next meeting all the papers relating to the granting of permission to B & O. to cross through the westend of the park

On motion Comr Lloyd the meeting adjourned.

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Sept 28 At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in the N. J. Thaps office Saturday Sept 28-1901=

We present=

Comm McDonald chair
" Maltin
" Stanton
" Kloyd

minutes of previous meeting read & appd

Rec'd & Read Report of curator on donations read & accpt'd

Read Report of Sandusmit on donations & exchanges approved. also an offer for sale of a bird collection, which was referred to Com Stanton to investigate=

Thanks from Scottish Rite Com Communication from the committee in charge of the Scottish Rite monument unveiling, extending thanks to the Park Commissioners for their kindness and support in the matter

Com Case Communication from Atty Horton asking $100.00 for the damage sustained by Chas Case at the Children's Playground - filed Supt McLaren instructed to take charge of the case=

Marsh Communication from G. E. Marsh regarding the affairs of the Japanese Garden - ordered filed

Park Music Communication from the pastor of the Market St M. E. Church stating that owing to the fair destroying the music for the park concert. asks that an abbreviation of rates be made to procure the music

The matter was laid over until the next meeting.

Com Stanton Com Stanton reported on the insurance question and asks that Comm Kloyd look up the law governing municipal insurance

Com Stanton instructed to draw all papers relating to the franchises granted the Railroad to cross through the west end of the park. to Comm Kloyd for investigation as to the right of issue.

Peddlers on St Highway

Supt instructed to request Chief of Park Police to prohibit the peddlers from locating on the Great Highway.

Park Specials

Secty instructed to request the Chief of Police to swear in five of the park employees as special policemen, who are to patrol the park during the absence of the regular officers.

(Motion Comm Lloyd this matter)

Bid for Hospital

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for roof & tiling work on the [illegible] Hospital:

Bidder	Sample 1	2.	3.	Check
T J Clark & Son.	2800.00	2990.00		300.00
Gladding McBean & Co	1615.00	(1865.00)	1565.00	150.00
Green Tiling	2065.00	2445.00		
Fordem Cornice Wks.	1779.00	1873.00	2129.00	220.00
Steiger J. P. & Potty Wks.	2445.00	1940.00		250.00

On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm Stanton
That the bid of Gladding McBean & Co for sample #2 for $1865.00 be accepted, and contract awarded.

Hospital

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for brick & stone work on the Hospital according to the plans:

	Sample 1-	2.	3.	Check
McElvey Stone Co	4651.00			465.00
McPhee Stone Co	4837.00	4837.00	4597.00	500.00

Action on bids laid over till next meeting

On motion Comm Lloyd this meeting adjourned to 2 o'clock p.m. Thursday Oct 3-1901

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Oct 3 1901 | A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday October 3. 1901 = at W.J. Sharpe office =

Were present
Comm Lloyd Chair
" Martin
" McDonald
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved =

Supt McCann report for the month of September read = ordered filed = On motion Comm Stanton secd Com McDonald

Supt was requested to investigate and report as to the cost of the proposed windmill according to a design to be submitted by Com Stanton

The offer of Mr Max Baermann of Visalia to tender to the museum his private collection of ores & ornamental stone was gratefully appreciated & accepted and Com Lloyd was authorized to extend the thanks of the commission, and request Mr Baermann to have his collection packed & shipped at the expense of the commission

The request of Senator Wilcomb for permission to visit the Indian tribes of Tulare & Kern Counties denied

Donations as received at the museum accepted & ordered acknowledged

Petition of Reese for permission to stand on the Highway with his telescope = denied =

On motion Com Stanton secd Com McDonald the Secty was instructed to draw a demand in favor of W J Sharpe for $25.00 being for provisions furnished on the Park Lodge and Emergency Hospital.

On request of Mrs Reese to have the Park Commissioners the music he lost by the fire ordered filed

purchase music

On motion Comm'r Martin sec'd Comm'r McDonald - that 450.00 be appropriated for the purchasing of music for Park Concerts: and that the R.R Co. be requested to give a like sum: it was further agreed that the money saved on account of rainy Sundays be devoted to the same purpose: Conditional: that the R.R Co. do likewise Comm'r Martin was requested to take charge of the matter, and make full arrangements with the R.R. Co.

to Hospital

It is the sense of the Commission to build the Park Emergency Hospital of stone: and on motion Com'r Stanton sec'd by Comm'r McDonald. The bid of the McGilvery Stone Co for 4651.00 be accepted and contract awarded.

On motion Com'r McDonald, sec'd Comm'r Lloyd Comm'r Stanton was authorized to purchase the collection of birds offered by E. Schmeder: but not to exceed $100.00

Comm'r Lloyd was requested to call on the Chief of Police regarding Park Police matters.

Comm'r McDonald to be assisted by Supt McKeown to investigate and report on the purchasing and installing a dynamo to furnish power for the electric lights in the Park Lodge

Philip J.

Oct. 17. At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday October 17th 1901 in Comm'rs Martin's Office were present

Comm Martin Chair
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Curator's Report. Curators report of donations' rec'd, accepted and ordered acknowledged and Comm Stanton was requested to investigate and act for matters pertaining to the museum.

Hartfords Rudder. Notice from the Secty of Navy of the order to sell the original rudder of the U. S. S. Hartford in order that the Park Comm might secure it for one of the squares. Referred to Comm Stanton

Committee on Embossing Pattern. A communication and committee from the Point Loboz Assn requesting the Park Commissioners to assist them in getting the Board of Public Works to improve the roadway of Pattern from Stanyan St to 1st Ave also that the Commissioners could do some improvements to be made in Mountain Lake Park. On motion Comm Stanton seconded Comm McDonald

Recommendation. The secty was instructed to communicate with the Board of Public Works abbutting and recommending the improving of the streets surrounding the Parks and Squares, and more particularly Pattern St from 1st Ave to Stanyan St: also calling their attention to the poor conditions of the roadway about B. V. S.

Flags about Concert Valley. Letter suggesting the placing of flags of all nations around Concert Valley: ordered filed. Matter was referred to Com Stanton

Charter Amendments. Invitation from the committee on Charter Amendments requesting the P. C. to suggest the amendments should be made.

The matter was referred to Comm Board.

Park Employees Petition. Petition from the Park Employees requesting an advance in wages from 2 to 2.50 per day: Motion Com Stanton seconded Com McDonald. The matter was laid over till next meeting.

Silt Basin

On recommendation of Supt McCann he was authorized by motion of Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald.
To make connection with the sewer of the sunset District to a silt Basin in the rear for fertilizing purposes.

Lamps in Union Sq

Comm Stanton reported that he had made satisfactory arrangements for the placing of 12 Nabanta Sidewalk Lamps in Union Square and that the Board of Public Works had agreed to pay for them.

Underground Toilet Union Sq

The Secty of the Merchantsville Board read the Resolution asking their approval and consent to the building of an underground toilet in Union Square. On motion Comm McDonald, sec'd Comm Lloyd.
Approval of the application made by the Merchantsville to establish an underground toilet in Union Square was given. Same to be in accordance with the plans submitted.

Boat House

On motion Comm Lloyd, sec'd Comm McDonald.
The Keeper of the Boat House is instructed to file a monthly statement showing his receipts & disbursements.
The Secty was also instructed to file a monthly statement of receipts & disbursements of the Gladstone Waterworks System.

On motion Comm Lloyd the meeting adjourned until the next regular session

Nov 7 01

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday Nov 7-1901 at Park Lodge.

Were present.

Comm Spreckels Chair
" Martin
" McDonald
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read, rec'd & app'd

Supt Report

Supt McLaren report for the month of October read and on motion Com Martin sec Com Stanton

The Supt was authorized to carry into effect his recommendations

Rep Fountain

contained in report in accordance with the plans

Sy.

submitted, but not to exceed $3000.00 in expenditures

also the plan as suggested in his report to cover the

Museum rec'd.

building was adopted and he was instructed to proceed with the work and also to provide a lavatory and toilets in the museum.

Quarterly Statements

Reports of Curator McLaren & Park Guard for the month

Report

of October were read and ordered filed

Secty instructed to acknowledge receipt of donations.

Statements &c

Statements showing the receipts and expenditures of the Children's Quarters & Japanese Garden were read ordered filed

Bills approved

Bills to the amount of $1145.00 & claims & accounts purchased by the Supt for the month were presented and the Secty was instructed to draw demands therefor in favor of the parties entitled thereto, payable out of the Park Fund

Cala Club

Communication from the Cala Club suggesting the advisability of the Board erecting suitable toilets for men & women on Jefferson Square was referred to Supt McLaren to look into the advisability of the same

Employees Petition

The petition from the Park Employees as laid over from last meeting was discussed and On motion of Comm McDonald sec Com Stanton
The salaries of the 15 Labourers & Gardiners was raised amount to 2/- per day.

Monopoly Collection

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Stanton
The Secty was instructed to communicate with Mr Hill Superior stating that owing to the overlapping of the Exhibition it will be necessary to curtail the space as occupied by their exhibit; and if practicable to have the same will be placed in portion; also to signify the willingness of accepting the same as a donation

Extend Sub Garden

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald
The plans as submitted for the extending and improving the Labourers Garden is accepted and the Superintendent is instructed to carry out the work but not to incur any expenditure

Mr Hill Monument

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Stanton
The Supt was instructed to instruct Mr Hill's architect for the Manilla Bay Monument, and request architect to present all the plans at the next meeting.

Park Bldg

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Stanton
The question of the training, bathing & residence buildings in the park be referred to Comm Lloyd at the next meeting.

Nov 22. 01 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm'rs Martins office Friday Nov 22 - 1901 -

Present

Comm'r Martin Chair
" McDonald
" Lloyd
" Stanton

Minutes of former meeting read & approved -

Playground So Mkt St

Resolution as passed by the Board of Supervisors requesting the Park Commissioners to recommend and give an estimate cost on the best localities south of Market and east of [illegible] for Park or Playground purposes

Said matter was referred to Supt T. McGauran with instructions to report his recommendation to the Board of Supervisors

Disbursements

Communication from the Justice of the Peace in the matter of donation of $5.00 paid to the Park -

On motion Comm'r Lloyd sec'd Comm'r Stanton

Supt was instructed to accept the tax and store same in the Park; Secty instructed to acknowledge receipt of same, and extend the thanks of the Commission.

Sonnenfeldt sign

Request of A. Sonnenfeldt for permission to erect sign at the crossing of the Main Drive & 24th Ave.

Secty was instructed to notify Mr Sonnenfeldt that the law prohibits commercial signs in the Park.

Personal music

Letter from Mr Wenzel relative to asking that some action be taken on his request of Oct 2-1901 regarding two music which was destroyed in the Lodge fire.

Secty was instructed to communicate with him stating that the Commissioners have no authority to expend money for such purposes also that the music was stored at the Stables with -

Elks

Request from Supt McLaren of the Stanyan St Lodge of Elks asking for a piece of land for the Lodge

On Motion Comm'r Lloyd sec'd Comm'r Stanton

That the request be granted and a piece of land be donated to the Lodge -

Advtg Bids The Secty was instructed to advertise for bids for Hay (Oats) Barley, Bran, Coal, Lime & Cement. Invoices presented & referred to contracts for same having expired.

Statement from the Boat House Keeper for the month of Oct read and ordered filed.

Pay Bill On motion Comm Lloyd seconded Comm McDonald
The resolution as passed at the last meeting relating to pay the balance due on the Causey Avenue improvement was rescinded: and the bill ordered paid.

Bailey Est The Commissioners received from the McCauley Estate a check for $2134.61 in payment of the land ceded to Comm for the purpose of erecting a gateway at the South end of Comm Ave. Ordered filed.
On motion Comm Lloyd seconded Comm McDonald.
The request was received and the matter was referred to Comm Stanton who was requested to report as to what could be granted for the amount of the bequest.
The Secty was instructed to advertise for bids for [illegible] audited to the Park Fund.

Mr Jacobs Mr Bo Mr Jacobs appeared before the Board and asked that a crossing be established at the street railroad crossing to the Park for the purpose of enabling the patrons of the Park to reach the cars. The matter was referred to Comm Stanton to report at the next meeting.

On motion Comm Stanton seconded Comm Lloyd
That all matters which may be considered by the Board at any meeting be considered and discussed at a regular meeting.
The Secty to notify the Supts to that effect and to inform them at the Park Lodge by [illegible]

Museum Show-cases On motion Comm Lloyd seconded Comm Martin
Comm Stanton was authorized to purchase six show-cases for the

Moving Buffaloes — On motion Com Lloyd secd Com McDonald.
The Supt was instructed to have at least 3 of the bull buffaloes moved to the large paddock.

Museum road tunnel — On motion Com Lloyd secd Comm Stanton
The Supt was instructed to submit at the next meeting a plan with estimate cost for the construction of a tunnel under the museum road leading from the maindrive tunnel to the music Court.

Statement of Expenditures — The Secty was instructed to prepare a statement showing the amount of money expended from the 1st of July to 1st Dec also the amounts authorized to be spent.

Bids for Millwork & Manila Bay — The Secty was instructed to advertise for bids for the millwork for the Emergency Hospital also for the concrete foundations of the Manila Bay Monument in accordance with Plans and Specifications on file in U.S. Harps office

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioners office Thursday Dec 5-01

Present Comm Martin Clair
" McDonald
" Stanford
" Reed

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Supt report Supt McKeen read his report for the month of November which was ordered filed.

The Supt was instructed to construct a fence in front of the Band Rotunda and to paint all the iron fences on the east side of the Band Rotunda. Also to build a shed on the Grounds Buildings. Also providing sheaves in the Radius Rock on the Band Rotunda

Treasurers Reports Treasurer and Auditor reports of donations received during the month read & ordered filed.

Statement of Receipts & Disbursements for the month read & ordered filed.

Statement showing the receipts & disbursements for the Japanese Garden for the month of Nov read & ordered filed.

Miller Auger Collection Communication from Miller Auger declining to donate the collection to the museum and notifying that the same will be removed as soon as it is agreeable to the commission. The Secty was instructed to extend thanks of the commission for the same, and agents at Long Beach to continue exhibiting the collection in its present large space and to deduct and take credit for same.

Elk Antlers Request from the B P Lodge of Elks asking that the antlers from the elk killed by Comm McDonald be donated to the Lodge

Motion Comm McDonald
That an Elk be donated to the Lodge
Motion Comm Reed
Elk That no more Elk be donated to any Lodge or

Mrs Baldwin Tree

Request from Mrs Oroville Baldwin for permission to plant an Elm tree from Canton in Union Square as a memorial to Pinckney McKinley.
The Secty was instructed to communicate stating that a space harmonizing with the character of the tree and satisfactory to her would be given on receipt of the same=

Aquarium

Letter from J. Morris recommending the building of an aquarium in the Park and read.

Cala Vulture

An offer of D. Stephens of San Diego to sell a Cala Vulture for $25.00

Disposition

The Secty was instructed to communicate stating that if it may ship the bird, and the Board is satisfied with the price conditionally that the bird is exactly as he represents it a California Vulture [illegible] Californianus and to it to the satisfaction of the Park Commissioners, & the event of it not being a Cala Vulture=he is to pay all express charges=

Roofing Material

The Secty was instructed to advertise for an estimate cost for the roofing of the Handball courts

Bids Hospital Millwork

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised Resolution for all the millwork on the Park Commissioners Hospital in accordance with the plans & specification on file in Archt & Engineers

	Bid	Check
[illegible]	1375.00	137.50
J.H. Tillay	1397.00	150.00
M.M. Cracker	2050.00	205.00
A. Wilkie	1349.00	150.00

On motion Com McDonald sec Com Stanton
The contract was awarded to A. Wilkie his bid being the lowest

Bids invite Dewey mouth

The following bids were received for the Kapinga Reservoir foundation and platform work for the Waiuta Reservoir.

Bidder	Bid	Accepted
N. Keating	1532.00	1532.00
G. Goodman	2000.00	2000.00

On motion Cour Stanton Seconded Cour McDonald.
The contract was awarded to N. Keating being the lowest bidder.

Bids

The following bids were received for the material proposals:

Coal

Bidder	50 Tons Waiuta	20 Tons Kapinga	Accepted
Wm Morton	16.50 14.35 delivered	9.75 mill pt 8.40 Waiuta	12.50
A. P. Campbell	17.50	8.25 Waiuta	6.50
J. P. Wilson & Co	16.00 14.00 delivered	10.00 8.50 K.	

On motion Councillor Cour McDonald.
The contract for Kapinga was awarded to Wm Morton
the contract for Millington " " " Wm Morton

Lime & Cement

Bidder	100 Bbls Lime	500 Bbls Portland Cement	Accepted
E. Angeltinger	1.70	2.55 2.50 delivered	
Helmershine & Co	No offer	No offer	
Wolff & Co	No offer	Rejected	

On motion Councillor Cour McDonald
the contract was awarded to E. Angeltinger for Portland Cement @ 2.55 & Lime @ 1.70

White Lead & Linseed Oil

Bidder	1 Ton White Lead	5 Bbls Oil	Accepted
R. H. Mason & Co	7d	69d	30.00
White Colours Co	7d	69d	35.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fulton & Co	7d	69d	35.00

On motion Councillor Cour McDonald
the contract was awarded to White Colours Co.

Bids
Forage

Forage.

Bidder.	~5 Tons Wheat Hay	~5 Tons Oat Hay	900 lbs Rolled Barley	400 lbs Oats.	~5,000 lbs Bran.	Check
Bonner Co.	10.25	9.25	16.50	1.25	15.50	200.00
Peters & Lowe	12.94½	13.44	17.49½	1.31½	17.87½	300.00
H. Ellis & Co	no check.					
Scott & Magnu	9.48	8.40	15.25	and 1.19 thay 1.20	14.46	250.00
E. Aigeltinger	10.70	10.25	16.50	1.23	17.00	400.00

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com Stanton
The contract for Forage was awarded to Scott & Magnu their bid being the lowest.

Lumber

Bidder	Price	Rebuzzed	Surfacing	Check
Dickens Lumber Co	16.50	18.50	1.50 2.50 4.50	100.00
P. F. Lumber Co.	23.00	27.25	1.80 2.70 4.50 50¢ drag to mill	100.00
Humboldt L. M. Co.	30.00	20. 18.	2.50 3.50 5.50	100.00
McDonald L. M. Co.	28.00 29.00 25 26 18	35.00 32. 33. 35. 20. 23. 25.	2.50 3.00 5.00 50¢ drag	

On motion Com McDonald sec'd Com Lloyd
The contract was awarded to The Dickens Lumber Co

Bids Rec'd

R.R. meeting At a Conference held Tuesday DEC 10-1901 in the Assembly Room of the Mills Bldg: between the Park Commissioners and the Representatives of the Street Railway Co:

Those present

Comm Pheeles Chair
" Martin
" Lloyd
" McDonald
" Stanton
[illegible]

Park Concerts The object of the meeting being to agree upon the sum to be paid by the Street Railway Co. for the Park Concerts-
On motion of Com: Stanton sec'd. Com Martin
The proposition as submitted by the Mkt & Geary St Co. to pay $10.50 per week as their pro rata be accepted!

Com: McDonald was appointed a committee of one to arrange with the Sutter St R.R Co for their pro rata of the cost

Phil Pheeles
Chairman

DEC 19-1901

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Tuesday Dec 19 1901 at their office in Hamilton

There present

Chas Schenck Chas
Cloud
Hunter
Hunter
McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting read & adopted

Statement of receipts & disbursements for the month

Thanks Elk

Letter of thanks from the B. P. Lodge of Elks for the donation of an Elk - read & ordered filed

Trimming trees Bullock

Letter from the owners of No. Park requesting the trimming of the trees - referred to Supt McCann to investigate

Egg Coal

Offer to sell a collection of eggs obtained in the Bitterroot by F. B. McDougald - was declined

Animals

Communication from W. D. Heard soliciting the purchase of animals - ordered filed.

Secretary

Resolution of the Board of Parks commissioners ordering that the Secretary be instructed to notify the Secretary of the Park Society to remove all fences from the Park within 30 days from this date

Secty instructed to comply with the order.

Cub of Report

The bid of P. A. Murdock & Co for the publication of a report - the matter was referred to Comm Stanton who was requested to look into the photographing of the mine, also to make arrangements with Murdock & Co regarding the publishing.

Game

The request from the normal school for game - referred to [illegible]

Windmill

In discussing the erection of the Birkwood windmill at the Head on motion of Com Lloyd, sec'd Com Martin
The matter was referred to Com Stanton with power to have the Supt submit plans & specifications for all the necessary machinery &c, necessarily required in pumping capacity, and cost of erecting the same.

Auto

Committee representing Auto Fluid Co & Co Com Owens, appeared before the Commissioners & requested the privilege of giving the Auto Fluid a test on the Birkwood Farm
Com Stanton sec'd Com Martin
The matter was laid over for further information

Sandhill

On motion Com Lloyd, sec'd Com Martin
The Supt was instructed to extend the Sandhill Auto ten feet, and have a wire netting placed over the tub-

Pro Rata
Sutter Ft

On motion Com Lloyd sec Com Stanton
The President of the Board was requested to arrange with the Narrow-gauge Sutter, Stark & Co for their pro rata for the back contracts

Fire Ex.

On Com Stanton, sec'd Com Martin
The Supt was authorized to purchase ten hand fire extinguishers and distribute them in adjacent Back buildings
motion Com Lloyd, sec'd Com McDonald

Chief to investigate

The matter was referred to the Supt
The Supt to test the machines at intervals

On motion Com Lloyd, sec'd Com Martin
The Supt was directed to [illegible]
maintaining a uniform

Jan 2-1902

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Lloyds office Thursday January 2. 1902

Were present

Com Speckels - Chairman
" McDonald
" Lloyd
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt McFarlands report for month of December read and ordered filed

Women Calls

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com McDonald the superintendent was authorized to perform the following work:- To have 4 shower baths built in the Tennis dressing rooms 2 in each department & Com Lloyd the construction of the proposed tunnel from the main drive tunnel to the Music Stand, also to lay concrete flooring in each the tunnels used by pedestrians and in order to hide from view the unsightly structures of the new toilets he was ordered to plant a number of large trees on the north side of the park opposite the same

A communication from A C Kelly offering to sale a herd of Elks was declined.

A. Schutz

Letter from A Schutz (a park employee) regarding the examinations held and charges filed against him was read and filed On motion of Com McDonald seconded by Com Lloyd the superintendent was instructed to discharge any employee drinking during working hours, or any one laying off on account of drinking

The secretary was instructed to notify all collectors having claims against employees that the commission would not interfere in any manner

Aquarium

On motion Com McDonald

That the building of an aquarium be commenced at once by expending sums, from time to time, but not to exceed $10000 in the total expenditure = Voting aye Com

Stanton,- Spreckles, and Lloyd,- Ayes, (Com. McDonald.

Loam tickets

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com. Stanton The secretary was instructed to issue the tickets for the loam delivered in the east end of the park and superintendent to deputize a man at the west end to do likewise.

Meeting adjourned

Phillips, Jr. Clerk

by Hibert H. Dickman

Secretary

Jan 16-1902

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Thursday, Jan 16th - 1902.

Were present

Com Spreckels - Chairman
Lloyd
Altman
Sullivan
McDonald.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Com McDonald chairman

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Spreckels it was decided that Com McDonald take the Chair and act as temporary chairman.

Appointment of Commissioners

The appointment of Mr A B Spreckels and M. H. Sloss by Mayor Jas D Phelan and of Mr C. A. Altman by Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz to the Board of Park Commissioners read and ordered filed.

President

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Altman Mr Spreckels was nominated and elected chairman for the ensuing term.

Secretary

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com McDonald it was decided that the Board enter into executive session

Secretary

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Commissioner Altmann Herbert L. Schmitz was nominated for the secretaryship. Mr Sullivan based in nomination Mr Phillip Jay. After considerable discussion Herbert L. Schmitz was, by a majority vote appointed

Auditor

It was duly moved, and seconded & carried that Miss Chapman be reappointed, as accountant of the Board at the same salary

Supt appointed

It was duly moved, seconded and carried that Mr M. Kelly be reappointed, as superintendent, at the same salary

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan it was decided that the salary of Mr Kay be paid up to Feb 1- 1903

A communication was received from Archbishop Riordan principal of the Burnett Grammar School requesting that a garden be constructed in front of the school House & Mr Larsen was authorized to comply with the request.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr Julius Lloyd for his donation to the Memorial Museum of a native dance rattle from the Caroline Islands

The communication and bill of Mr J. Sharp read and ordered placed on file.

A motion was made by Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com McDonald and carried that the receipt from Mr Sargent be placed on file

Statement of receipts and expenses of the boat house for the month of December was read & ordered filed

The following ordinances were adopted by the Board of Supervisors-

To extend Golden Gate Park northerly between 13th & 14th Aves. so as to connect with the Presidio Military Reservation read and ordered filed.

To acquire all the lands within the block bounded by Washington Jackson Sansome and Laguna Streets for Park or Square purposes read and ordered filed.

That a new and additional public Park or Square be provided in that portion of the city known as the Mission, and that all the land in Mission blocks "G" and "F" be acquired for such purpose read and ordered filed

Wages Park Laborers

Ordinance #425 of the Board of Supervisors fixing the amount of wages to be paid and regulating the hours of work for laborers employed by the Park Commissioners.

The minimum wages to be $2.50 per day of 8 hours labor. Same to take effect on and after July 1st 1902. Matter was referred to Com. Lloyd

Elm tree

Letter from Mr. O. D. Baldwin, asking that on arrival of the Elm tree from Canton, Ohio, that a date be set, and location selected for the planting of same.

The matter was referred to Supt Mc Laren to report on same at next meeting.

Leak

Letter from Mr. E. Doolittle regarding his investigations as to the best method of pumping water and recommending the air lift system. Read and ordered filed.

Coin collection

Offer of sale of a collection of ancient coins owned by Hon. R. Edwin Dudley of Vancouver B.C.

The secretary was instructed to acknowledge receipt and to state that offer was declined as there were no available funds to purchase the collection.

P.O. Valentia

Bill of Mr. R. Waterston for photographic work done, received for the year ending

Matter was referred to Supt. McLaren

Design for Band Stand

It was duly moved seconded and carried that Com. Allmann submit design for the gateway at the Regent St entrance to conform to the request of Mr. McCauley

Conservatory

Mr McDonald stated that the fountains in the Conservatory were broken and therefore suggested that Com. Allmann be requested to see to repairing them.

Supt McLaren was asked to look into the matter of a site for Golf Links and to report to the Board

Telephones

The President appointed Com. Floyd and McDonald a committee on Telephones.

De Savaga memorial

It was duly moved, seconded and carried that the inscription for the De Savaga Memorial be referred to Com. Ahlmann.

Appeal for [illegible] - St R R

Com Floyd moved and it was duly seconded and carried that Pres. Speckels be given full power to settle the matter relating to the payment of funds by the Street Railways for [illegible]

Plumbing [illegible] Hospital

The following bids were received in answer to the request of Architect Tharp for plumbing in the Park Emergency Hospital

James E Britt	490
R. Rice	535
Duffy Bros	535

Com Floyd moved and it was duly seconded and carried that the contract for plumbing in the Park Emergency Hospital be awarded to James Britt he being the lowest and only bidder that furnish first class materials and do the work satisfactory to the Architect

It was moved seconded and carried that at 2 o'clock P M on the first and third Tuesdays of each month be set for the regular meeting day of the Commissioners at the Park Lodge, unless otherwise ordered by the President.

Meeting adjourned.

Robert L. Whitney
Secretary

Feb 7- 1902

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held in Com. Lloyd's office Friday, Feb. 7- 1902

Were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
" Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Supt McLaren's report for month of January read and ordered filed

It was duly moved seconded and carried that the suggestions as made in the superintendent's report be carried out.

Curator's report

Report of Curator Walcom of donations received in the museum during the month of January read and referred to Commissioner Altmann.

Communication from Chas H Dimpfen of 819 Market St, offering the loan for exhibition in the museum of an 8 inch shell fired from one of the guns of Admiral Dewey's fleet in Manila Bay- referred to Com Altmann

Communication received from the Board of Works referring to complaints received from citizens and property owners about the condition of Front Street between Sacramento and Washington streets and recommending the construction of curbwork and bituminous stone sidewalks be laid—

It was moved by Com Sullivan, seconded by Com Lloyd and carried that the superintendent investigate the matter ascertain what infringements were and are now existing there on the Street and report at next meeting

Deer

Communication from Chas H. Coe of San Jose offering the sale of a buck, doe and two fawns

The Secretary was instructed to reply to Mr Coe informing him that the Park Commission did not want to purchase the deer, as they have all they wish

Olympic races

A communication was received from the Olympic Club requesting permission to hold their Annual Cross Country foot race in Golden Gate Park Oct 22nd.

It was moved duly seconded and carried that the permission be granted as requested.

Lease to Lloyd

Communication from Miss Lloyd offering to purchase 2 or 3 buffaloes

Moved by Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried that the matter be referred to Supt Hayes with power to act - To inform Miss Lloyd that she could purchase a pair of buffaloes, male and female for $1000

Pheasantry

Communication of Mr. Koch relative to establishing a pheasantry at the park and offering 20% of the production to the park.

Respectfully declined as the Park is not to be used for business purposes

Indian Curio collection

A communication from A. G. Heinemann curator, offering for sale a collection of Indian curios

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was referred to Com J. Altmann

Music

Bills for music

Com Lloyd moved that bills for music be referred to President Kercheles and Secretary given him to act seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried

Concerts

On motion of Com. Sullivan, seconded by Com Lloyd and carried it was decided that the concerts be discontinued for the present as the railways were announcing it as free and the

Employees citizens of U.S.

Com. McDonald reported that charges of not being a citizen had been preferred against A. Young, a park employee. As the charter distinctly says that all city employees must be citizens of the United States. Chas. McKeown was instructed to investigate the charges and report at the next meeting.

It was moved duly seconded and carried that Com. Sullivan be appointed a committee of one to look after the Japanese Tea Garden.

On motion of Com. Altmann it was duly seconded and carried that no articles be loaned from the museum

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan President Brechler was empowered to secure a shot gun for use in the park.

On motion of Com. Sullivan it was duly seconded and carried that the superintendent be instructed to ascertain if it were feasible to construct a bicycle path on the south line of the park and to report at the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned

Feb 25/02 At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com Lloyd's office Tuesday, Feb 25. 1902.

Were present

Fred Dieckelo
Com - Lloyd
McDonald
Hittmann
Julian

Bids The following bids were received in answer to the request of Architect Tharp, for the tiling plastering and painting of the Park Emergency Hospital

For tiling-

Buck & Mantell	1250
H H Montague & Co	1043
D Hongrun	1167

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Julian and carried that H H Montague & Co be awarded the contract for tiling, their bid 1043 being the lowest.

For plastering - On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided that wire lathing with mortar finish & finish on ordinary white coat be used

For lathing & plastering-

J R Tolan	590
M Carrick	700
T Sullivan	720

Lathing & Plastering On motion of Com Hittmann seconded by Com Sullivan and carried that contract for lathing and plastering be awarded to J R Tolan this bid 590 being the lowest

Painting For painting

Geo C Gotting	300
[illegible]	[illegible]
Buse & Stores	350
John Quadt	360

Painting

John Brownlie foreman painter at the Park having figured on the work, submitted an estimate of $220.

Bids rejected

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com McDonald and carried all bids for painting be rejected - checks returned and the foreman Park painter be instructed to perform the work.

Society of American Wars

The Secretary was directed to supply Society of American Wars with copy of resolution passed at meeting of the Park Commissioners in September - in reference to their request for permission to erect a flag-staff-monument at Market & Battery Sts - The consent of the Commission was granted

Sprinkling cart

Motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com McDonald and carried that the Superintendent be instructed to sprinkle one court of the lawn tennis ground, to be used as a champion court

Committee instructed

On motion of Com Altmann duly seconded by Com Sherman and carried that the Superintendent be directed to investigate with Com Altmann charges that Washington Square was being neglected and report at the next meeting.

Title of South PK

Com Sherman reported that the title of South Park was being attacked by a man named Wallace and he requested to devote time and attention to the case - Wallace Vs City and County of S. F. - wherein title of South Park is involved

Meeting adjourned

Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Office Friday March 1, 1907

There present:

Pres Eckerstein
Com Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sherman
" Ittmann

Reports. Report of the Children's Quarters and the Japanese Tea Garden for January and February read, and ordered filed.

Petition from the Peralta Gallery [illegible] asking that a railing be placed around [illegible] No objections the communication was ordered placed on file.

Petition of Jas Waidlow endorsed by Lincoln Post G.A.R. requesting that [illegible] Park. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Superintendent [illegible] read and on motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded by Com Ittmann and carried that the suggestions as made in the report be adopted, [illegible]

On motion of Com Ittmann seconded by Com Sherman and carried the Superintendent was directed to begin the construction of the bicycle path from west end of the Park until it meets the path near the Chain of Lakes.

Com Lloyd made a motion seconded by Commissioner [illegible] and carried that two [illegible] be erected for protection of bicyclists and pedestrians, one at east end of the speedway, the other midway between [illegible]

(1) Motion of Com. Lord that Washington Square be improved as suggested by Supt of Parks and a fountain be erected duly seconded and carried with the amendent of Com. Oltmann that $10000.00 be expended in the improvements.

To file

Resolution #2399 of the Board of Supervisors received calling attention to the provisions of Article II - Chapter I - Section I of the City Charter directing the Park Commission to file with the Board of Supervisors and the Auditor an estimate in writing of the amount of expenditure required for the coming year.

On motion of Com. Ford duly seconded by Com. Braun and carried that Superintendent and the Commission be instructed to prepare the estimate and file with the Auditor and the Board of Supervisors as requested by the Charter.

Communication received from the Merchants Association in regard to constructing underground Convenience Station in Union Square

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to reply to communication stating the Association to the Board of Supervisors and to be instructed to

Report of Curator Kilcomb of donations received for the museum - Iron - Wood - Shell - Metal - Coral - Stone - Bone -

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Braun and carried the donation was received with thanks

Communication received from the Bartmen's Union complaining that a vehicle was making a practice of [illegible] the Park' [illegible] with a sign upon it

On motion of Com. Oltmann seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the Secretary was instructed to reply to the letter, also to communicate with the Park Inspector in reference to complaints of overcharging passengers in the Park and to have the sign complained of removed from the Park

Motion of Com. Altmann, duly seconded by Com Sullivan and carried that a letter of thanks be sent to Mr Kruse - 20 front St. for the donation of deer horns from Humboldt Co

By a unanimous vote President Brackett was tendered the thanks of the Ark Commission for his donation of four Hawaiian mountain sheep

Com Lloyd moved duly seconded by Com Altmann and carried that the superintendents suggestion be carried out and 300 tons of trees be purchased.

The motion of Com Lloyd that the erection of the wind mill and pumping station be commenced at once.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to postpone action in relation to the wind-mill until a special meeting in order to allow of a further investigation

Motion to go into executive session duly seconded and carried

It was decided to [illegible] of the statue, casts of [illegible] from the Paris Exposition in damaged condition

On motion of Com Altmann duly seconded by Com Lloyd and carried the Curator was instructed to ascertain the cost of replacing the damaged fish casts

Communication received from Senator Talcomb in reference to list of curios offered by him as a loan or to be purchased by the commission and stating a true of $ 138.60 the amount of expense incurred by him in securing the collection.

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Sullivan and carried it was decided [illegible] this collection, and a list of the same to be spread on the minutes.

LIST OF ARTICLES COLLECTED BY

C. F. WILCOMB, AND ~~[illegible]~~ purchased from THE

MEMORIAL MUSEUM.— by the Park Com. - March 7. 1902

No. 1. Indian Ceremonial Basket, basin-shape, covered with oriole feathers, interspersed with red, blue and black feathers of the woodpecker, red-shouldered blackbird, male valley quail, and bluebird. Ornamented with bangles of [illegible] and shell wampum. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal.

No. 2. Indian Dowry Basket, Sea-Urchin shape, pattern in red, ornamented with glass beads. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 15.00

No. 3. Indian basket, Sea-urchin shape, pattern in brown, old and richly colored. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 3.50

No. 4. Indian Basket, round bowl, very old and rare, Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 4.00

No. 5. Indian Basket, Sea-urchin shape, pattern in brown, [illegible] lower tone of color, old and rare. Poma In[illegible] Co., Cal.

No. 6. Indian Basket, round bowl, coarse weave, ornamented with red yarn, old and poor color. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. (Near Geyserville). .5

No. 7. Indian Basket, bottle-neck type, hour-glass pattern in red, Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. 20.00

No. 8. Indian Basket, flaring bowl, used as a squaw cap, step pattern in red. Wuchumna tribe, Tule river, Tulare Co., Cal. 5.00

No. 9. Indian basket, Sea-urchin shape, solidly feathered in green, red- yellow, blue etc. Decorated with glass beads, and shell wampum. Made by an extinct tribe, northern Napa Co., Cal. 25.00

No.10. Paddle, used for stirring acorn soup while cooking in baskets. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 1.00

No.11. Root Digger, for digging roots for basket making. Old method. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal. .25

No.12. Root Digger, for digging basket-making roots, old method. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. .25

No.13. Smoking Pipe, made of wood, used only by old men. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal. .50

No.14. Headdress of feathers, used by Indian medicine man. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal.

No.15. Headdress of feathers, used by medicine men. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal. } 3.75

No.16. Headdress of feathers, used by women at dances. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal.

No.17. Rattle, composed of sections attached to feathers, used by medicine Man, Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal.

No.18. Ornamental Pins, [illegible] with pieces [illegible]. Decorated [illegible] hammer. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal. (2 pieces). .50

No.19. Feather Net, to fasten on the head for attaching feather headdress. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal .50

No.20. Awl or Pricker, used by basket makers. Made of bone from leg of deer. Old method. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. .25

No.21. Indian Moccasins, native tan, plain, Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. 1.00

No.22. Knife, of stone (chert), made and used by Piute Indian, Inyo Co., Cal. .50

No.23. Awl or Pricker, used in basket weaving. Maue of cactus spine. Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. .10

No.24. Gambling Sticks, 13 pieces, made and used by Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. .25

No.25. Soup ladle, used for stirring acorn soup when cooking in baskets. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Siskiyou Co., Cal. 1.00

No.26. Gambling Sticks, (bundle), used as counters. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Siskiyou Co., Cal. 1.00

No.27. Spools on which is wound net-making string. Made of elk horn. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Humboldt Co., Cal. 1.00

No.28. Comb, for dressing the hair. Used by squaws. Made of bone, ornamented with incised lines. Cahroc tribe of Indians, Humboldt Co., Cal. .50

No.29. Money Purse, used for holding native wampum. Cahroc tribe, Klamath river, Humboldt Co., Cal. 1.00

No.30. Headdress, made from white deer skin. Used at ceremonial dances. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Humboldt Co., Cal. 2.25

No.31. Headdress, composed of sea lion teeth. Old and rare. Used at ceremonial dances. Cahroc tribe, Humboldt Co., Cal. 2.25

No.32. Shell Necklace, composed of small olive shells, formerly as money, and also worn at ceremonial dances. Cahroc tribe, Klamath river, Siskiyou Co., Cal. 2.25

No.33. Dance belt, [illegible] ted with olive shells [illegible] Cahroc I[illegible], Klamath river, [illegible]

No.34. Indian stone Pestle, [illegible] Humboldt Co., Cal.

Extend [illegible]

[illegible] on sail on a collection of Indian [illegible] from [illegible] Trial, Eastport (Cal.) [illegible]
Respecting declined

On motion of (Gen.) Gilbraith duly seconded and carried the Curator was authorized to purchase for Hall of Pottery

Letter received from Capt. Pillsbury of the U.S. Lighthouse Service stating that he had received some samples for loan to the park, and, stating that arrangements be made for the insurance, etc. of them while in transit to San Francisco

Referred to Com. Altmann

Communication received from the Building Trades Council referring to work being done by non-union men

Read and on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried ordered placed on file

Offer of sale for $1500 of a collection of Indian baskets from R. D. French - Prescott - Arizona

Respectfully declined

Meeting adjourned

Herbert L. Pelham
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Friday, March 28th 1902

Were present

Pres. Spreckels

Com. McDonald

" Sullivan

" Uttmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Budget Estimate

The Secretary reported on the estimate of expense for the coming year filed with the Auditor and the Board of Supervisors.

Petition from a number of tennis players requesting that the court on tennis ground be not turned as intended by the Park Commissioners

Matter referred to Commissioners Hind.

Communication from Jacob Heyman asking that a foot walk be constructed along the Boulevard - Read and ordered placed on file

Letter of thanks received from Sylvia Park Association for the good work performed at Sylvia Park and suggesting that improvements be continued and that the Board of Public Works had been requested by the association to lay a concrete walk around the park and also a coping to be constructed under the supervision of Superintendent O. C. Larsen

Communication received from Fire Commissioners asking for information and Chief reports of the Park Commissioners -

The Superintendent was instructed to comply with the request.

Resolution #2460. Board of Supervisors requesting that the Park Concerts be renewed

A committee of two Com. Sullivan and McDonald were appointed by President Spreckels to draft resolutions in reply to the Board of Supervisors.

Communication from Mr. and Mrs. Wilson asking permission to conduct a butter-milk stand on the ocean beach. Request denied

Communication from the Spring Valley Lumber Yard offering whatever lumber may be desired by the Park Commission at 89.00 a thousand less than market price - delivered from the wrecked schooner Reporter at the ocean beach

(On motion of Com McDonald seconded by Com Hittmann and carried the superintendent was authorized to purchase whatever lumber was required

Communication received from Chas H. Gruber asking permission to play with 100 mandolins, guitars etc in the music stand at the Park on Sundays.

(On motion of Com Hittmann seconded by Com) Gruber permission was denied, as the instruments were considered inadequate for the purpose

Communication from Atkins Press Clipping Bureau asking if service was to be continued.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to discontinue it, as the clippings supplied were of no use to the commission

Communication from Mr L. Brown of Vancouver B.C. offering for sale some Rocky Mt goats

The Secretary was instructed to get further particulars from Mr Brown and a photograph of the animals if possible and to also ascertain if he could secure some mountain sheep

Communication from J. T. Gray Hornbrook Cal. wishing to dispose of a male deer, 9 months old

Declined with thanks

Communication of Chas. M. Hammond who wished to sell some peafowl at $5 a piece

(Respectfully declined.

Communication received from Mrs. C. Baldwin requesting the Park Commission to place an iron fence around the McKinley Memorial Elm tree recently planted in Union Square and also place on the tree a small tablet suitably inscribed.

McKinley

Referred to Supt McLaren

On motion of Com. Sullivan, seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the superintendent was instructed to proceed with the improvements and additions to the Japanese Tea Garden according to the plans submitted by him to the Board

Com. Altmann reported the safe arrival from New York of the three pictures kindly loaned by Mrs. Sarah D. C. Spooner and that they had been placed in exhibition in the museum

The motion to advertise for bids for the Coal House and the Children's Quarters was on motion of Com. Pruckler seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried postponed until the next meeting of the Board in order to allow Com. C. K. Leonard who has charge of the Children's Quarters an opportunity to obtain the accounts of the Board of the Mayor

Advertise

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded by Com Altmann and carried Meeting adjourned

M. L. Schimpf
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday April 4-1902

Were present

Pres. Brockway
Com Lloyd
" McLeonard
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Report of the superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed

On motion of Com. Altmann, seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried a communication of thanks was ordered sent to Mr. Peck for his kind donation of 250 flowering trees

Communication received from Cavanaugh & Co. of New York through Gallhard Lohrmann & Co. City offering an exhibition in the Museum of a model of Tower Building as exhibited when was exhibited at the Pan American Fair

Referred with thanks as the exhibit was considered an advertisement

Communication received from Curator Wilcomb calling attention to some needed repairs at the museum

Referred to Com. Altmann and on motion of Com Sullivan, seconded by Com. McLeonard and carried Com. Altmann was given full power to act and report at next meeting

Communication from Raymond Duncan asking permission and making a bid re publishing a guide and programme of music of the Park

Communication not acted upon - Held over for action at future meeting

Communication read which was sent to the S.F. Chronicle by H Torchiana & Hatsonni making complaint against selling surplus donations which had accumulated at the museum -

The Secretary was instructed to reply to Mr Torchiana and an explanation that there were no grounds for this complaint and to state that he had been misinformed.

Com Floyd was appointed by President Sprockels a committee of one to ascertain if the Park Commissioners had the right and power to sell surplus materials and articles that had accumulated at the museum and other departments of the Park.

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com Sullivan and carried the superintendent was directed to secure more tennis ground by moving the [illegible] to the south side of the Oak ridge and to construct some additional tennis courts

On motion duly seconded and carried the superintendent was endowered to act in regard to matters relative to the tennis courts at the shooting [illegible] and the Tennis Courts

Commissioners McDonald and Sullivan having been appointed by President Sprockels a committee to answer the resolution of the Board of Supervisors in reference to the Park concerts reported that they had met them answer with the supervisors and the matter was discharged with thanks to the resolution and with the Board of Supervisors

President Sprockels reported that he had had correspondence with the Sperry Flour Co and succeeded in securing a rate of $1050 a month and as this year was a very high and dusty [illegible] the regular rate was asked that same be granted

On motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com Sullivan and carried the arrangements were approved

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was decided that a special meeting be held at the call of the President, that some responsible engineers be invited and ascertain what plans would be feasable for supplying water for the western end of the Park.

Report received from Com. McDonald, of the Children's Quarters for the past 12 months.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried the meeting adjourned to allow the Commissioners to inspect the Children's Quarters

Meeting adjourned

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at President Spreckels office Friday, Apl 18-1902

Were present

President Spreckels.
Com. Lloyd
McDonald
Altmann
Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communication received from the Knights of Pythias asking the use of Union Square during the month of August next for the purpose of holding an open air fair

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. McDonald the Secretary was instructed to reply to the communication and to inform them that it would be contrary to law, that the Charter would not allow the Park Commissioners to grant the request

Communication from the Hackmen's Union saying that the complaints of overcharges by the Hackmen at the Park were unfounded.

Secretary was instructed to reply and to state that complaints were still being made, and to request that the Hackmen submit a rate card on the inside of the coach

Communication from the Metal Workers Union asking that inner metal screens be given the iron work in the park

As no iron work was being done the communication was ordered filed

Communication received making complaint of drunkenness against J.A. Johnston at Sunset Park

The superintendent was requested to investigate the charges and if true to discharge the man

Communication from said Union [illegible] the maximum of 8 hours, three Saturday afternoon Crier

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was decided that the loan be accepted

Offer of sale received from F. E. Robinson of Sebastopol Cal. of a curio, the bone of a horses front leg found in the Lava beds of Modoc Co. Cal.

On motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the offer was declined

Communication from Jas. E. Bond Los Angeles offering a curio for the museum of a hog's foot with a frog growing on the side of it

Respectfully declined

Estimate of H. P. Nelson for the construction of a Japanese Stone lantern for the Tea Garden

Referred to Com. Sullivan

Request of Mrs. Sophia Calderwood - Sonoma Cal. that the commission allow her some pea-fowl eggs.

Secretary was instructed to state there were none to spare.

Communication of the Gala Club in reference to the Chinese Theatre -

Ordered filed

President Buckle reported that arrangements had been made with the United Railroads of S.F. to pay $150 per concert for the bands in the park on Sundays and Holidays.

The report was approved and accepted by the Board

On motion of Com. Altmann, seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the manager of the 2nd Band was to be requested to make an inventory of the music and to have it kept in the band stand at the park.

The Superintendent was also instructed to have proper shelving placed for the storing of the music

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for furnishing 2500 ft. more or less 1 inch hose
2500 ft " " " 1¼ " hose.
in 50 ft. lengths with couplings and guaranteed for one year

Com. Lloyd made a motion that the construction of the wind mill be commenced at once. The Superintendent stated that he had thoroughly investigated the matter and he was convinced that the mill would be able to furnish 20 000 gals of water an hour - at an estimated cost of $1400.00. Com McDonald was adverse to the motion - After a lengthy discussion Com Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com Altmann and carried that the roll be called and a vote taken. Com Lloyds motion for the erection of the wind-mill was carried by a vote of 3 ayes and 2 nays - President Brechtel, Com Lloyd and Altmann voting aye - Com McDonald and Lucia voting no.

The Superintendent was instructed to submit at the next meeting - cost of erection, facts and figures relative to the wind-mill

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Altmann and carried the Superintendent was requested to secure definate plans and specifications with the estimate of cost of the wind mill and report at next meeting

The Superintendent was instructed to produce the naturalization papers of the park employee A Young who was charged with not being a citizen, on motion of Com. McDonald; duly seconded and carried

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Pres Brechtel and carried it was decided to give Miss Harris Kindergarten a free day at the Children's Quarters

Motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann, and carried that Com. Lloyd be empowered to communicate with Miss Hazels Kinder-garten and grant her request for a free day - Monday - Apl 21 - 1902.

Motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried Com. McDonald was appointed a committee of one with the assistance of the superintendent to secure if possible a new site for the manure dump.

Com. Lloyd made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that Mrs. Speckels be appointed a committee of one to secure someone to expert the books of the Commission and report at next meeting.

Com. Sullivan was appointed a committee of one to ascertain if the reservoir and huge pipes could not be removed from about Lafayette Square on the appearance of them improved.

Com. Altmann reported on the flags required at the museum and uniforms for the museum employees.

Matter referred to Com. Altmann with power to act.

Meeting adjourned

H. Schmitt
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com Lloyd's office, Friday May 2 - 1902

Were present

President Sprechels

Com Lloyd

" McDonald

" Altmann

" Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for April read and ordered filed.

Report of the Auditors for April read and ordered filed

On motion duly seconded, and carried the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids on the Cabinet work in the Park to be and one mark thereof of 40 000 Sq feet.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Superintendent was instructed to secure specifications for the work and file in the office

Commissioner Sullivan was granted until the next meeting to report on the removal or retention of the Eucalyptus trees on and adjacent Lafayette Square

Communication of Henry Altman relative to the work to be done in Lincoln Park read and ordered filed

Resolution #2543 Board of Supervisors requesting the Park and Boulevard Commission to submit a plat and plan for the ornamentation of Van Ness Ave and to report the estimated cost thereof

On motion of Commissioner Altmann duly seconded by Commissioner Lloyd and carried the Superintendent was instructed to comply with the request.

Communication from the Manufacturers and Producers Association in reference to giving preference to California products in purchasing supplies.

Read and ordered filed.

Communication of Lila J. McDermott requesting that the song "Old Flag Forever" be played at the Park. Referred to the leader of the Park Band.

Communication of the president of the Occidental Kindergarten requesting permission for a free day at the Children's Quarters.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann, duly seconded and carried permission was granted

On motion of Commissioner Altmann duly seconded and carried the secretary was instructed to send a note of thanks to Mrs. H. H. Armstrong for her donation of two steel engravings for the museum

Communication of J. J. Lindstrom in reference to the Children's Quarters.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann seconded by Commissioner Sullivan Mr. Cuckot was requested to state whether she could manage the quarters more economically as stated in the communication and if she could Mr. Lindstrom's proposal was to be accepted by the Park Commissioners

On motion of Commissioner Floyd duly seconded and carried it was decided to establish a botanical garden in the Park and the Superintendent was instructed to furnish the plants & Superintendent was instructed to select a site for it and report at the next meeting.

On motion to the bids advertised for, the following were opened.

Hyde & Kenna	75 per cent
Kelly & Kerrigan	60.
H. H. Wirms	100%
Trentrup	80 "
Foot Advertising Co	50 "
Raymond Duncan	45 "

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday June 6 - 1902

Were present

Commissioner Lloyd
McDonald
Sullivan
Altmann
Peaident Sprecke1s - absent

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan duly seconded by Commissioner Altmann, and carried Commissioner Lloyd was elected temporary Chairman.

Minutes of previous meeting of May read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried the informal acts of the Commission at the previous meeting (there being no quorum present May 23) were approved as read

Report of the Superintendent read and

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded and carried Commissioner Altmann and Supt McLaren were empowered to select the trees suitable for the ornamentation of Ocean Shore and to recommend the same to the Board of Supervisors

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for month of May read and ordered filed

Report of the Childrens Quarters for month of May and ordered filed.

A vote of thanks was ordered sent to Congressman Kahn for his courtesy in sending to the Park Museum the pen with which President Roosevelt signed the Chinese Exclusion Act

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday, May 23-1902

were present

Commissioners McDonald
and Sullivan

A quorum, not being present Commissioner Lloyd was communicated with by telephone and stated his willingness to approve the action of Commissioners McDonald and Sullivan in reference to 7th bid for bituminous work and a communication from the Gutta Percha and Rubber Co objecting to the bid for those being awarded to the Pavement Co - and request from the Olympic Club for permission to hold their annual foot race in Golden Gate Park, Decoration Day, May 30th.

The following bids were received in answer to the advertisement for bituminous work in the park to be laid in three

Union Paving Co	3 9/10 ¢ per sq. ft.
S. F. Construction.	4 3/8
Selby Steel Amp Co	4 ,
Stanley Bay	05/4
P. J. Dowling	4 9/10
Flynn & Tracy	3 99/100

The bid of the Union Paving Co - being the lowest on motion of Commissioner Sullivan seconded by Commissioner McDonald the contract was awarded to them

On reference to the communication of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co - after their representative had been given a hearing by the Commissioners, he stated that he would be satisfied if given half of the contract. - Commissioner Sullivan stated that he would look up the law governing the awarding of bids for supplies and ascertain if the Commissioners were compelled to award the contract to the lowest bidder.

On motion duly seconded the Olympic Club was given permission to hold their annual foot race in the Park on Decoration Day May 30th

H. J. Schmitt - Secretary

Acting

Communication from Curator Kelcomb reporting offers of loans for the Museum.

Referred to Commissioner Altmann

Request of a number of young ladies that a more desirable court be given at the tennis grounds than the one now assigned them

The Secretary was instructed to reply and to state that the court was changed at the request of the ladies and at the present time some additional courts were being constructed and as soon as they were completed the petitioners could have a selection of one.

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan seconded by Commissioner Altmann and carried the purchase of the cash register at $105 for the Children's Quarters was approved

Complaint of incivility of foreman Hagemann of Union Square presented by [illegible] and read

The Superintendent was requested to investigate the charges and report

The motion of Commissioner Sullivan that conditions prevailing at the present time be continued at the Children's Quarters under the direction of Commissioner McDonald until further action by the Board was put to a vote and carried - Commissioners Sullivan [illegible] and Altmann voting Aye - & Commissioner Lloyd - 4

Communications from various Kindergartens expressing their thanks for free days at the Children's Quarters ordered filed

Communications of J. T. Lindstrom ordered filed

Communication of Sequoia Baseball team requesting that additional facilities for playing baseball be provided by leveling and extending the present grounds

Referred to Superintendent with request to report what it would cost the extending of the grounds, would have on the present operations and the cost of the proposed [illegible]

A communication received from the Board of Health agreeing to pay $150.00 additional on account of the Park Emergency Hospital. - The Secretary reported that he had sent bills to that amount to the Board of Health and was instructed to see that the accounts were paid as agreed.

Communication from the Tuttle Drake and Pulfer Mfg Co stating that as they were really the lowest bidders that they be given some of the order on the hose contract

The Superintendent was instructed to give the firm a portion of the business.

Request of Mrs Pentreel for the privilege of hording prayer meetings, afternoons and evenings in Union Square

Request denied as Charter prohibits it

On motion of Commissioner Altmann duly seconded by Commissioner Sullivan to pay Architect J. K. Sharp $50.00 a previous bill not included in settlement made with him sometime ago was carried by the following vote,

Ayes Com. McDonald, Sullivan and Altmann

No - Commissioner Lloyd

Architect Sharp rendered his bill on account of the Park Emergency Hospital showing a balance due him of $434.00 - Ordered paid.

Communication and petition of the residents in the vicinity of Pulaski Park asking that rock pile be removed and the lower end of the park be made into a lawn

Read and ordered filed

Communication from Building Trades Council complaining of work being done in the park by non-union and incompetent workmen

The Secretary was instructed to reply stating that no discrimination was made in having employees of the park

The bids for loam all being considered too high on motion duly seconded and carried no contract was awarded.

Wheat Hay

Somers & Co	12.25 per ton
Scott & Wagner	12.50
C. C. Ellis & Co	12.75
E. Aigeltinger & Co.	12.00

E. Aigeltinger & Co being the lowest bidders on motion duly seconded and carried awarded the contract

Oat Hay

Scott & Wagner	11.50 per ton
Somers & Co.	12.00
C. C. Ellis & Co.	11.75
E. Aigeltinger & Co.	11.00

E. Aigeltinger & Co being the lowest bidders on motion duly seconded and carried were awarded the contract

Rolled Barley

Scott & Wagner	22.50 per ton
Somers & Co	23.00
C. C. Ellis & Co.	22.00
E. Aigeltinger & Co	21.00

E. Aigeltinger & Co being the lowest bidders on motion duly seconded and carried were awarded the contract

Red and Grey Oats

Scott & Wagner	3.00
Somers & Co	1.00
C. C. Ellis & Co	1.75
E. Aigeltinger & Co	3.00

E. Aigeltinger & Co. being the lowest bidders on motion duly seconded and carried were awarded the contract.

Bran

Scott & Wagner	19.00
Somers & Co.	19.75
C. C. Ellis & Co.	19.00

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract was awarded to C. C. Ellis & Co they being the lowest bidder.

Request of Mrs. M. Foute, 1915 Gough St that Lafayette Square be improved -
Read and ordered filed

Communication of Lily Camp & Mother, Eustress, and making the charge that the Park Commissioners in going out on the roads were infringing on their rights as they had letters patent for the invention of improving roads by that means -

The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the company and request it to produce a copy of the patent.

Offer of the Virginia Sal-o-Nut Co. to give a percentage on the sale of their goods in the park.
Refused as the Charter prohibits.

Offer of Lorenzini to present 2 young eagles accepted with thanks.

Offer of sale of young raven by Mrs R Luzant Oakland
Declined

Offer of sale of an eagle by Mrs H Librani Westport - Declined

Offer of sale of an Gila monster by Mrs Evans Ventura - Declined

Offer of sale of an American eagle by Wm Labille Austin - The Secretary was instructed to state that the Commissioners had no desire to purchase but would accept as a gift

Offer of [illegible] Ranch of Oakland to present the pair of the R Coyote - Declined with thanks

In answer to the advertisement for supplies for the next six months the following bids were received -

Coin -

Edmond Kern [illegible]
Union Iron Works Co [illegible]
[illegible] Lyon [illegible]

The contract was awarded to Thos Horton he being the lower bidder, on motion duly seconded, and carried

Fuel Oil

Associated Oil Co.	83¢ per bbl.
Standard " "	72¢ "
Coast " "	15¢ "

On motion duly seconded, and carried the contract was awarded to the Standard Oil Co, being the lowest bidder

Lumber

Rough Pine #1

Swift & Co	15.95 per M
Schouten Lumber Co	16.75 " "

Redwood #1

Swift & Co	$2.15 per M
Schouten Lumber Co	40 "

Select Pine

Swift & Co	46.65
Schouten Lumber Co	$47

Select Redwood

Swift & Co	36.00
Schouten Lumber Co	36.00

On motion duly seconded and carried Schouten Lumber Co being the lower bidder was awarded the contract

Pipe

Crane Co	41% per ton
C. Froelich	41 / 3

C. Froelich being the lower bidder was on motion duly seconded and carried awarded the contract

1¼ in
1½ "
2 " } Standard galvanized pipe

Delzell & Keller, Dunham Corrigan & Hayden, C. Froelich Crane Co, and [illegible] on motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to give each firm a share of the contract:- 2nd - 1¼ in. - 12 4/10¢ per foot
1½ " - 15¢
2 " - 30¢

White Lead

Mason & Co	6.86c per lb
Scott & Magren	7 "
Standard Oil Co	7 "
Whittier Coburn Co.	7 "
Yates & Co	7 "
W. P. Fuller	7 "

Mason & Co. being the lowest bidder, on motion duly seconded and carried were awarded the contract

Linseed Oil

Mason & Co	72 57/100c per gal
Standard Oil Co	77 "
Scott & Magren	74 "
Whittier, Coburn Co.	74 "
Yates & Co	77 "
W. P. Fuller & Co	74 "

On motion duly seconded and carried Mason & Co. being the lowest bidders were awarded the contract

Lime

Rigelsinger & Co	1.00 per bbl

Rigelsinger & Co were awarded the contract on motion duly seconded and carried

Cement

Wm. Koff & Co	Eaton	2.00 per bbl
E. Rigelsinger & Co		2.20

The Superintendent was instructed to give a trial order to both bidders - test the cement, weigh the barrels, etc. and purchase from the firm whose cement gave the better satisfaction

Coal

Pennsylvania Egg Coal

J. C. Wilson & Co.	15.25 per ton.
Thos. Horton	15.50 " "

J. C. Wilson & Co being the lowest bidders were on motion duly seconded and carried awarded the contract

Pittsburgh Coal

J. C. Wilson & Co	98c per ton
Thos. Horton	1.00 "

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday, June 30 1902

were present

Pres Upprecht
Com McDonald
Sullivan
Altmann

Absent Floyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan the following resolution was carried

RESOLVED: That The Commercial Pacific Cable Company be, and it is hereby given and granted the right and privilege and permitted to construct, maintain, and use for the purposes in this resolution provided, an underground conduit in and across the highway bounded on the West by the Pacific Ocean and designated upon the map of the Outside Lands of the City & County of San Francisco, made pursuant to Order One-Hundred, as "Great Highway", at the place therein where Fulton Street if continued would intersect said Great Highway; and that said conduit shall be used and maintained for the purpose of a land cable connecting the submarine cable of The Commercial Pacific Cable Company with the instruments and machinery designed to operate the same and situated in the office of the Company in the City & County of San Francisco; and in and through and by means of said conduit, the said Company is hereby given the right and privilege, and permitted to use and operate the land cable aforesaid.

RESOLVED: That the use of the roadway of said Great Highway shall not be unreasonably disturbed or interfered with during the construction of said conduit, and shall be, by said Company, restored to its present condition, to the satisfaction and approval of the Superintendent of Golden Gate Park and said work shall be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of said Superintendent.

Petition received from property owners in vicinity of Lafayette Square requesting the Park Commissioners to have the unsightly pipes tanks and building removed from the square

On motion of Com Sullivan seconded by Com Altmann and carried the Secretary was instructed to notify the Spring Valley Water Co. and Wm. D. K. Holliday to remove the structures maintained by them on Lafayette Square

Windmill-

Iron work for the windmill

P. F. London $983.00

Joshua Hendy Machine Works $5950.00

Fulton Engineering & Ship Bldg. $3100.00

The bid of the Fulton Engineering & Ship Building Works of $3100.00 being the lowest on motion of Commissioner Altmann seconded by Commissioner Floyd, and carried they were awarded the contract.

Meeting adjourned

F. J. Schmitz

Secretary

Com McDonald, - Committee on telephones — reported that a municipal telephone rate had been given for the Children's Quarters and was discharged from the committee with thanks.

Com McDonald and Supt McLaren, as a committee reported that a new site had been selected for the manure dump and were discharged with thanks.

President Spreckels appointed Commissioners Sullivan and McDonald, a committee of two to draw up resolutions of respect to memory of the late Park Commissioners - Joseph Austin and John Parnell.

Meeting adjourned

H. Schmidt
Secretary

Request of the S.F. Fly Casting Club for permission to hold a tournament at Stow Lake in Golden Gate Park.

Permission granted

Chief Engineer Schussler of the Spring Valley Water Co appeared before the Board and on behalf of the Company asked permission to erect and maintain a large tank or water tower in Lafayette Square

As the Charter prohibits the granting of such permission on motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com Altmann and carried the request was refused.

Resolution #2685 of the Board of Supervisors recommending that amounts be set aside from the Park Commissioners appropriation for specified purposes.

Read and ordered filed

The United Railroads of SF rendered a statement of the Music account of the Park Concerts showing a balance of $1.75 due the Park Commission and inclosing a check for the same.

The Secretary was instructed to start a Band Music fund retaining $30.00 in replacing cost portions of overtures which were destroyed by fire a balance of $25.00 would be on hand.

On motion of Com Altmann duly seconded by Commissioner Sullivan and carried the sum of $50 per month for 6 months was set aside from the receipts of the Programme privilege for the purchase of music.

Request of the Park Police for permission for the delivery wagons to cross Golden Gate Park

Request denied.

Petition of a number of young people asking that a tennis court be arranged in Duboce Park

Read and ordered filed.

Request of the Park & Tennis Club that more lockers be constructed at the Tennis Courts

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com Sullivan and carried the matter was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from J. J. Timmins, boat house keeper requesting that six new boats be purchased to take the place of six old ones - unfit for use - having been in continual use for nine years

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was referred to the superintendent to report to President Spreckels and if deemed advisable by them the boats were to be bought as requested

On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the President was empowered in his judgment to instruct the Superintendent from time to time to purchase small lots of foam.

Communication from Irving M. Scott (Chairman of the McKinley Memorial Committee asking permission to erect a monument at the intersection of Market St. and Van Ness Ave.

A detailed model was required to be submitted upon permission could be granted

Communication from the Merchants Association in reference to the Public Convenience station in Union Square and requesting permission for a committee from the Association to appear before the Board -

Permission as requested was granted

In reference to the salary of Laborers in Golden Gate Park.

On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded by President Spreckels and carried it was decided that as the Park commission did not warrant, and could not accord the payment of such salary as paid by the Board of Supervisors namely $2.50 per day - 8 hours that the wages of Park laborers remain as at present $2.00 per day of 8 hours - President Spreckels and Commissioner Altmann voting Aye - Com. Reynolds and Com. Braunhart being absent

Communication of Superintendent submitting proposals and requesting that action be taken as to the proposition for the management of the Children's Playground

On motion duly seconded and carried the matter was laid over to the Children's Playground was laid over to the next meeting

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Monday, July 7- 1902

were present

Pres. Speckels
Com. Lloyd
" Altmann

Absent

Com. McDonald
" Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Curator of the Memorial Museum on donations received during the month of June -
Read and referred to Commissioner Alt.

Curator Wilcomb reported the sale of 290 museum guides and [illegible] in settlement of the account from the date of the last settlement - November 1- 1901.

Wood

Communication from John A. Benson offering to buy the wood at the pumping station.-
The Secretary was instructed to reply and state that wood was not for sale as it was being used as fuel.

Communication from the City Realty Co requesting permission to remove the sand at the southerly end of the Park and [illegible] suggesting that a fence be constructed there.
On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Superintendent McLaren to report on same with the intention of communicating later with the City Realty Co.

Regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners Friday July 18- 1902 postponed until Friday, July 25-1902 at which meeting there was "no quorum" present

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

Regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners Friday, August 1- 1902 "no quorum" present

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

Commissioner Altmann was appointed a committee of one to select three dozen of the most suitable photos for illustrating the yearly report.

Offer of sale of a wood-carving from Mrs Curtis of Nebraska City declined.

Offer of sale of a set of antique furniture from Mrs Geo. D. Rule-Wyoming- (Respectfully) declined

The Superintendent reported that there were a number of saddles and bridles unused and stored at the Lodge.

Secretary was ordered to communicate with Hon. Mayor the Mayor requesting permission to sell them

On motion duly seconded and carried, the suggestions made by the superintendent in his report were approved and ordered carried out. The Superintendent was empowered to purchase $300 worth of bulbs.

Supt. Schmidt and Supt McKeown were requested to confer in reference to the botanical garden on motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried.

The thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners were extended to Commissioner Reuben McLloyd for his kind donation of a collection of rare coins.-

On motion of Com Altmann seconded by Com Lloyd and carried the salary of Prof Fuller the taxidermist was increased to $2.50 per day instead of $2.00 as heretofore

Commissioner Lloyd offered the following resolution, "that all persons on the Children's Quarters and the Japanese Tea Garden shall be ordered and ruled by a requisition on Public Parks from time to time as needed" which was duly seconded by Com Altmann and carried.-

Meeting adjourned

H. Schmidt
Secretary

A committee of 5, five from the Merchants Association appeared before the Board and advocated the construction of a Public Convenience Station under the sidewalk at Union Square

The matter was taken under advisement The Secretary was instructed to send a letter to the Merchants' Association stating that the Park Commissioners had not decided whether it would be feasible or not to construct the Convenience station as suggested and to request that detailed plans and specifications be submitted to the Park Commissioners to assist them in arriving at a decision. The Secretary was requested to submit the letter to Com. Lloyd.

Com. Lloyd proposed as an amendment to Com Altmanns motion that the matter relating to wages of Park laborers be laid over to the next meeting The amendment carried by the following vote. Ayes Com Speckels Com Lloyd. Com Altmann Noes

Communication and donation of a valuable collection of gold, silver & copper coins from all parts of the world by James H Langtry of this city

The collection was accepted with thanks and the matter of procuring a suitable and secure case for it was referred to Com. Altmann.

Communication of Curator Wilcomb asking an increase of salary, insurance of his private collection exhibited in the museum and a leave of absence for the purpose of collecting ethnological specimens for the museum was referred to Com. Altmann

On motion of Com Altmann that leave of absence be granted Curator Wilcomb with the amendment of Com. Lloyd that the ethnological specimens should be collected for the museum was carried by the following vote — 4 Ayes and 1 no. — Ayes Com Speckels Com Lloyd Sullivan and Altmann — No Com McDonald

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge - Friday, August 8 1902 - were present

President Speckels,
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Supt for month of July read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarters for month of July read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for month of July read and ordered filed.

Resolution adopting Board of Supervisors reading to wages of Park laborers.

Commissioner Altmann moved for a reconsideration of the action taken at the last meeting.

Seconded by Commissioner Lloyd.

Commissioner Altmann moved to reconsider the resolution limiting the wages of laborers to $2.00 a day, at the next meeting and gave notice that he then would vote to pay said laborers $2.50 a day.

Seconded by Commissioner Lloyd

Com. Sullivan moved to amend by considering the motion to reconsider at this meeting.

Ruled out of order.

Commissioner Sullivan then moved that laborers in the Park be paid at the rate of $2.50 a day, commencing immediately

Seconded by Com. McDonald

Commissioner Lloyd moved to postpone action until the next meeting - Seconded by Com Altmann

Roll called and the motion to postpone was carried by the following vote.

Ayes- Speckels Lloyd and Altmann

Noes- McDonald and Sullivan

Request of F. D March to keep an Eskimo canoe in basement of boat house, and occasionally use it on the lake.
Permission granted on motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Floyd and carried.

Communication of Mr. Hawthorne in reference to old stand pipe on Potrero Ave.
Mr. Hawthorne was referred to the Board of Public Works.

Request of the Knights of Pythias for loan of Palms, etc for decorating nave of Ferry building.
On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to allow them the use of such palms as could be spared.

Communication from the Outdoor Art league asking for the cooperation of the Park Commissioners in beautifying the school grounds as per plans drawn by Mr Olmsted, a Chicago landscape gardener.
On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to [illegible]
the matter was referred to Com. Altmann to act with Supt. McLaren in regard to the mall.

The thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners were extended to Pope & Talbot for their kind donation of two spars of Oregon pine for use at the windmill.

Com Altmann was appointed a committee with Supt McLaren to interview Mr. A. Gilroy of the A. Gilroy Stone Co. in reference to securing a suitable piece of stone for the inscription [illegible] and also to arrange with Mr. A. Gilroy to repair the [illegible] King Memorial Statue which had become badly cracked

As the conveniences at the tennis courts were being used a great deal by others than the players on motion of Com. Floyd duly seconded by Com Altmann and carried the Supt was instructed to construct additional [illegible]

Requisition of Curator Kilcomb for 12 Stempel fire extinguishers -

The Supt was instructed to purchase the 12 Stempels requested by the Curator

Requisition of Curator Kilcomb for six exhibition cases for department of textiles - Referred to Com. Altmann

Communication of Riordan & Sainde - attorneys representing Wm H Thornley complaining that the open sewer at 19th Ave and 7C sts is a nuisance and requesting that it be abolished

Referred to Com. Sullivan on motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried

Communication of the Board of Public Works asking the Park Commissioners to render an opinion whether it would be advisable or not to fill the catch-basin of the Cochituate fountain and plant therein

It was the unanimous opinion of the Park Commissioners that it was not advisable to carry out the idea and the Secretary was instructed to inform the Board of Works

Petition of residents in neighborhood of Jefferson Square asking for the construction of a toilet in the square.

Read and ordered filed

Complaint made of the use of profane and obscene indulged in by the ball players in the park on Sundays and week days in the presence of ladies and children.

The secretary was instructed to communicate with the Sergeant in charge of the Park police asking him to suppl[illegible] [illegible] police patrol of the [illegible] the secretary was also instructed to request for the Park Commissioners an extra detail of ten men for the park particularly on Saturdays and Sundays when the present detail of police was inadequate to furnish the necessary police [illegible]

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday August 29-1902 were present

Pres Sprekels
Com. McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communication of the Last Improvement Club requesting that the Public Convenience Station be established at Union Square. Read and ordered filed

Resolution of the Stable and Garage owners Association recommending the action of the Park Commissioners in restricting the running of automobiles on the park to the South Drive. Read and ordered filed

Communication of Edmund Kenny requesting that the Park Commission authorize the purchase of loam at .85¢ per cubic yard.

Read and ordered filed

Offer of Peter McHugh to dispose of first class loam to the Park Commission at .70¢ per cubic yard and offering 1000 cubic yards at that price.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com Altmann and carried it was decided to purchase it at .70¢ per cu yd.

Communication of J Clemens explaining the difficulties that would arise if permission were given to maintain private boats in Stow Lake.

On motion of Com Altmann seconded by Com McDonald and carried it was decided to grant and rescind the permission given to Mr Marsh at the last meeting to have a private boat on the Lake

Request of the A. F. Scottish Bowling Club - that a structure be provided for the storing of the paraphernalia necessary for the game. Referred to the Supt.

Offer of loan of some curios and cases by Dr Pabst of Oakland

Offer declined, as storage room in the museum was limited

Communication of thanks received from Maria Kip Orphanage for courtesies shown at the Children's Quarters Read and ordered filed

Meeting adjourned.

H. H. Wilkins
Secretary

The following ordinance was passed to print to be acted upon at the next meeting on motion of Com. Altmann, duly seconded by Com. Sullivan, and carried.

OFFICE OF THE
PARK COMMISSIONERS

ORDINANCE NO. —.

THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISsioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in regular session assembled, FRIDAY, August 29th, 1902, do ordain as follows:

That the walk parallel with the main drive leading from the Museum to the Cyclers' Rest, from its junction with the walk leading to the middle tunnel westerly to its junction with the main drive, be and is hereby ordered closed during music hours from 1 to 5 o'clock p. m., and it shall be unlawful for any person to use said walk during the stated music hours.

Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $500.00, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

H. L. SCHMITZ,
Secretary Board of Park Commissioners.
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Com. Sullivan was given further time to report on the resolutions of respect to the memory of the deceased Park Commissioners John Reynolds and Jos. Austin.

Meeting adjourned

H. L. Schmitz
Secretary

Offer of M H Beaver of Parsons, Kansas to construct a miniature railroad in the park and to share the profits on a percentage basis.
Declined as the City Charter prohibits it.

On motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was decided that the Park Commissioners refuse to longer accept the sewerage at 20th Ave. and K. Sts. and that the Board of Supervisors be notified of the fact so that they could provide for it

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was resolved to rescind the the order in reference to securing supplies for the Children's Quarters by requisition on Supt. McLaren

Com. Altmann moved seconded by Com. McDonald and carried that commencing with Sept 1-1902 the wages of park laborers who were receiving $2.00 per day be paid $2.25 per day of 8 hours.

On motion of Com Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried. Trees Sprecklels with Com. McDonald and Supt McLaren were appointed to revise a schedule of wages to be paid per day to employees of the park other than those included in the former resolution of Com. Altmann.

On motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded and carried the Supt. was directed to remove all the loose boards in the nature of an obstruction in Union Square.

The matter of swings for the Children's Quarters was referred to Com. McDonald and Supt. McLaren

On reference to the Lt. Polo collection of curios the action of Com. Altmann in selecting portions that were available for exhibit were approved

The Secretary was instructed to supply each Commissioner with a copy of the proposed new wage schedule.

On motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the superintendent was directed to construct a foot-path on the west side of the Great Highway from the Cliffs to the south line of the park.

The Superintendent was instructed to give a thorough overhauling to the lavatory near the music-stand and that it and the grounds surrounding be put in a more presentable appearance, on motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com. Floyd and carried

Meeting adjourned

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Monday, Sept 1st 1902 - there was a quorum present -

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Friday, September 5-1902
were present

Pres. Pinckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
Absent Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the superintendent read and ordered filed

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the superintendent was instructed to proceed with fencing the Japanese Tea Garden and to procure a carload of rustic tumbler for that purpose

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed

McAuley Memorial — The committee in charge was notified to submit model and specifications as it had to be approved by the Park Commission before the memorial could be erected.

Donation of a handsomely carved meerschaum pipe by Mrs Lucy Coleman - (deceased) —
Referred to Com Altmann

C. Arnold - president of the Sunset Improvement Club appeared before the Board petitioning that sewerage be granted for pertaining purposes by the Park Commission, as at present at 50th Ave and L. st

As Mr Thornley had appeared at a previous meeting complaining that the sewerage was a nuisance and a menace to the health of the neighborhood on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com Altmann and carried the secretary was directed to communicate with the Board of Health asking for an investigation and a report of the matter to the Park Commission.

Offer of Mr. H. Alvord to secure for the museum a collection of ducks -
Accepted with thanks.

Offer of sale of one or more buffaloes by the Buffalo Wild West Show - Montana.
Declined.

Petition for the construction of a lake in Golden Gate Park, for use by the S. F. Model Yacht Club
The committee of the Yacht Club was advised to inspect Mountain Lake and the matter to be decided later.

Petition from store keepers about Portsmouth Square asking that additional lights be placed therein.
On motion of Pres. Sprecklels duly seconded and carried the Supt. was instructed to examine the lights there at present and report at next meeting.

A vote of thanks was extended to Com. Lloyd for the interest shown by him in arranging and trading buffaloes with the Wild West Show on motion of Pres. Sprecklels seconded by Com. McDonald and carried

Communication from the Citizens Improvement Club asking that a gate be constructed at Mountain Lake Park
Read and ordered filed.

Adjustment of the wage schedule laid over to the next meeting.

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded and carried it was decided that Miss Treadwell at the museum was to receive $40 per month.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by and carried Com. Altmann was requested to get up a design for posts for lighting Squares

Donation of a set of carved tusks from India by Mr. Walter Hes [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Friday, October 3 1902
were present

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann

Absent "
Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Report of the Superintendent read, and ordered filed

Report of the Children's Charter read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed

Petition from the interns and visiting staff of the City and County Hospital requesting the establishment of a lawn tennis court in the grounds of the hospital

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Altmann and carried the Superintendent was directed to examine the ground, estimate the cost of construction and report at the next meeting

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. J.L. McIver for his kind donation of rock for the inscription at Lafayette Hill on motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com Lloyd and carried.

Communication, directed to the Board of Supervisors by the Spring Valley Water Works asking for an extension of time in the removal of the tank in Lafayette Square and referred to the Park Commission

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the Secretary was directed to notify the Water Co to remove the tank by November 1st 1902

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Tom Lloyd's Office, Sunday, October 24- 1902
were present
Geo Sprockels
Tom. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communication of the Spring Valley Water Works stating that the order of the Board of ... to remove the tank of the company in Lafayette Square would be complied with, read, and ordered filed.

Communications and reports of the Health Department and the Board of Public Works relative to the sewerage being received in the park for fertilizing purposes ... to ... and H. St - and the contemplated construction by the Park Commissioners ...

As all the reports submitted to the Park Commission were highly in favor of the plan proposed by the Park Commission the motion of Com. Lloyd that the Park Commission receive and accept temporarily the outfall of the sewer for the purpose of fertilization was duly seconded and carried with the amendment of Com. Sullivan that the Supt. be instructed to take all safe measures for the ... sewerage.

Communication of the Post St Imp. Club requesting the Park Commission to accept the offer of the Merchants Assn for the construction of a public convenience station in Union Square - read and ordered filed

Plans submitted and offered by the Merchants Assn to build a public convenience station under the sidewalk on Stockton St with the entrance in Union Square

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Altmann and carried the proposition is accepted. The plans did not ...

Communication of A.E. Brooke Ridley read and ordered filed.

Request of Curator Wilcomb for a new typewriter.
On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was decided that a Remington Standard Typewriter be purchased for the museum.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the secretary was instructed to confer with the police department and direct that the rule of not allowing women and children on the speedway be enforced.

Offer of sale of a South American mummy declined on motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded and carried

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the Supt. was directed to bituminize two additional tennis courts

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. Altmann was authorized to purchase a new wire umbrella and cane stand for the museum.

It was decided by a majority vote to accept the Marsh on pipe willed to the museum by Mrs. Lucy Coleman - Pres Spreckels, Com's Lloyd and McCombs voting Aye - and Com. Altmann voting No

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the Supt was directed to proceed with the construction of the walk paralelling the main beach drive from the N W cor. of the park to the foot of the cliff grade, and to also proceed with the construction of the bridle road from Broom Point westerly to the Chain of Lakes

On motion duly seconded and carried the Supt was authorized to use the men to the best advantage in the construction of grounds in the different squares —

Meeting adjourned

H.H. Schmitz

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com Lloyd's Office, Friday, October 24- 1902
were present
Fred Speckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communication of the Spring Valley Water Works stating that the order of the Board of Supervisors ... to remove the taint of the company in Lafayette Square would be complied with, read, and ordered filed.

Communications and reports of the Health Department and the Board of Public Works relative to the sewerage being received in the parks for fertilizing purposes ... to the ... & H H - and the contemplated construction by the Park Commissioners of a septic tank

As all the reports submitted to the Park Commissioners were highly in favor of the plan proposed by the Park Commission the motion of Com. Lloyd that the Park Commission receive and accept temporarily the output of the sewer for the purpose of fertilization was duly seconded and carried with the amendment of Com. Sullivan that the Supt. be instructed to take all opt measures for the sanitation ... sewerage.

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Plans submitted and offer by the Merchants Assn to build a public convenience station under the sidewalk on Stockton St with the entrance in Union Square

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Altmann and carried the proposition is accepted As the plans did not ...

railing along the steps it was suggested that the railing be built. The plans were approved with the exception of that portion lacking the railing

Mr Barbour Lathrop donated to the park a fine collection of bamboos. On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded and carried it was resolved.-

That the thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners be conveyed to Mr Lathrop with the wish that he live long and keep Golden Gate Park in memory no whatever country he travels

On motion of Com Sullivan seconded by Com McLaren and carried it was decided to construct a lawn tennis court on the grounds of the City & County Hospital at a cost of about $100.-

Committee of the Model Yacht Club reported that the facilities at Mountain Lake were not suitable for model yacht racing and requested that a committee be allowed to appear before the Board at the next meeting.
Permission was granted

On motion of Com Altmann seconded by Com McDonald and carried a vote of thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners was tendered Com. Reuben H Lloyd for the kind donation of a large and valuable collection of rare coin representing the work of 40 years collecting; also a tile from the first custom house in California - at Monterey

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com McDonald and carried it was decided that Washington Square be filled up to the crest of the sidewalk on the Filbert St side and that permission be granted J Tuttle, for the term of 6 mos to deposit sufficient soil under the supervision of Supt. McLaren to fill the park to the desired grade.

The salary of Curator E.P. Wilcomb was increased $25 a month on motion of Com. Lloyd and carried

On motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com Sullivan and carried it was decided to reduce the force of Park laborers 50 or more men as the Park fund would not allow the continuance of the present number at the increased scale of wages

A vote of thanks was tendered Prof. Gruber, the Park taxidermist for his kind donation of a penguin.

It was decided that Engineer Carney at the Children Quarters be paid $3.00 per day, on motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried

The motion of Com. Floyd that the McKinley Monument Committee be authorized to place the McKinley monument on Park ground on a site selected by Com. Altmann was duly seconded and carried.

Meeting adjourned

H. J. Schimpf

Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com Lloyd's office, Friday, November 7- 1902
were present

Pres Sprockels
Com Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Report of the superintendent read and ordered filed

Communication of Wm E Ritter, Berkeley Cal relative to the donation of a prairie falcon.
Referred to Com Altmann

On motion of Com Sullivan seconded and carried it was decided to accept an interesting historical boon kindly donated by Mr W H Young, and a vote of thanks was extended to him.

On motion of Com Lloyd, seconded by Com Altmann and carried the supt was directed to separate the deer and the elk in the park, to select a site west of Strawberry Hill and to construct a paddock exclusively for deer.

Com Sullivan made a motion seconded and carried that the necessary improvements be made to put in presentable appearance the ground in Lafayette square where the spring valley water co tank was recently removed from

A committee from the M S Model Yacht Club appeared before the Board advocating the construction of a lake for model yacht racing in the park and suggesting a location.

On motion of Com Sullivan seconded by Com McDonald and carried the matter was referred to Supt McLaren with instructions to report at a subsequent meeting the estimated cost, etc

Com Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried that Com Altmann be authorized to purchase more secure and additional cases to properly display the several valuable collections at present in the park.

On motion of Com McDonald seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the Supt was instructed to purchase 1 pair of white swans and a pair of white peacocks offered at $60 a pair

Com Lloyd made a motion, duly seconded by Com Altmann and carried that the accountant at present inspecting the books at the park be requested to hand in his report to the Board, to the Secretary by the 20th of November and that his services be dispensed with, thus allowing him 3 months a reasonable length of time to complete his work. Commissioner McDonald voted 'no'

Meeting adjourned

H. L. Lloyd

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com Lloyds office, Monday, November 21-1902

were present

Pres Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed

Communication from the Cal. Outdoor Art League asking permission for Supt. McLaren to co-operate with it in beautifying the school grounds

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided that permission would be granted provided it did not interfere with the plants there at present and occasioned no expense to the Park Commission - The Commissioners by the communication were not sufficiently enlightened as to the scope of the intentions of the League in the matter and the Secretary was instructed to ask for further details as to the proposed work.

Communication from Phillips Smyth & Van Orden asking for a rebate on the programme privilege on inclement weather when no concerts are given.

On motion of Com Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was decided that Phillips Smyth & Van Orden be allowed $15.00 rebate on each Sunday that concerts are not given.

Communication received from Curator C. P. Nelson offering for sale the private collection of curios at present on exhibition in the museum.

The offer was taken under consideration to be acted upon at the next meeting.

Robt. D. Aitken donated to the museum a bust of late President McKinley. The gift was accepted. On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Aitken.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of former Park Commissioners Joseph Austin and John Rosenfeld were adopted. It was resolved that a copy of the resolutions be properly engrossed and presented to the families of deceased Park Commissioners, and be spread upon the minutes of the Board.

Board of Park Commissioners.

San Francisco, California.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at San Francisco the 21st day of November, 1902, the following Preamble and Resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, John Rosenfeld, a member of two former Boards of Park Commissioners died in San Francisco, California, on the 2 May 1902; and

WHEREAS, he was first appointed to said office on June 24th, 1882, and thereafter reappointed on April 26th, 1894; and

WHEREAS, he had always proved to be a faithful and efficient official with an eye single to the benefit of Golden Gate Park;

RESOLVED that we the Board of Park Commissioners hereby express our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be properly engrossed and presented to the family of the deceased Park Commissioner, and spread upon the minutes of the Board.

James M. Shortridge

WHEREAS, during his term of office the Golden Gate Park was beautifully improved and thereby became an honor to San Francisco and the equal of any Park in the United States;

RESOLVED, that we, the Board of Park Commissioners hereby recognize his services, and extend to his bereaved wife our sincere and heartfelt condolence.

" RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be properly engrossed and presented tothe wife of the deceased Park Commissioner and be spread upon the minutes of the Board.

Committee:- Frank J. Sullivan
James W. McDonald

A request was received from the Real Estate and Development Co. asking permission to construct a septic tank in Jackson Park.

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried permission was refused

The report of Mr. A. B. Thompson, the accountant was read and on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried was accepted and ordered placed on file

The Secretary was also instructed to review the accountants report with President Sprecklels who would report at next meeting

Communication of C. Ewald Pres of Sunset Dist Improvement Club asking permission to haul lumber, supplies etc through east end of Golden Gate Park

On motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded and carried the request was not granted.

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded and carried it was decided that Jos. Geary the draughtsman be paid $3.00 per day.

Com. Lloyd made a motion which was seconded by Com. Altmann and carried that Curator Kelcomb be instructed to prepare a new catalogue for the museum.

Meeting adjourned

H. L. Schmitz
President

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Lloyds office, on Friday, December 12-1902
were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Report of the Supt read and ordered filed

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed

Curator Walcombe's report on donations received for the museum Read and ordered filed and a vote of thanks to be sent to the donors

Prof. J. Gulick report on the Department of Natural History read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried it was decided to make an offer of $5.00 to Curator Walcomb for the collection of curios in the Colonial Kitchen The balance of the

President Spreckels submitted his report commending the system of keeping the accounts in the office of the Commission and recommending that the salaries of the Secretary and the Accountant [illegible] increased $25 per month

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann, and carried the suggestions of President Spreckels in reference to the Secretary and the Accountant were ordered carried out

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the secretary was instructed to communicate with the Chief of Police and to request him to enforce the ordinance pertaining to the Great Highway, and to keep off the peddlers who have been infesting it and the beach between the points of the Seal Rocks and the Seal Rocks.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com Altmann and carried the Supt was authorized to purchase 2 Antelopes @ $30 each

Communication of the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors asking what had been done in the matter of erecting the Public Convenience Station on Union Square.

The Secretary was instructed to reply giving the facts of the case

Communication from the Department of Public Works suggesting the grades for the streets running easterly from the Great Highway.

On motion duly seconded and carried the grades as given in the communication were accepted by the Park Commission

Communication from the California Outdoor Art League in reference to beautifying the school grounds

The secretary was instructed to inform the league to arrange with the Board of Education to furnish the loam etc. and the Park Commissioners would then supply the plants wanted and help to afterwards care for them.

On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried, Com. McDonald was appointed a committee of one to devise ways and means to properly receive and check the loam received in the Park

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the secretary was instructed to advertise for a pump for the wind mill capacity of 20000 gals per hour

Meeting adjourned.

H. J. Lemmon

Secy

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Sloyd's office Friday, Dec. 26 - 1902 were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Sloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

On motion of Com. Sloyd duly seconded and carried the secretary was directed to advertise for bids for publishing the annual report - 2000 bound in paper and 500 cloth

Commissioner Altmann was appointed a committee of one on the half tone illustrations.

In answer to the advertisement for bids for a pump of 20000 gals per hour, capacity for the windmill the following were received

Clot & Christ	$1591.00
Deane Pump Co	$1615
Geo. E. Dow	$1325

On motion of Com Sloyd, seconded by Com Altmann and carried Geo. E. Dow's bid being the lowest was bid was accepted.

On motion of [illegible] seconded by Com Altmann and carried all other bids were refused and checks ordered returned.

Communication received from C. P. Kelcomb in reference to the sale of the curios contained in the Colonial Exhibition and offering to accept $900 for the collection.

Com Sloyd proposed that the copper ingots at present in the museum be given in exchange.

On motion of Com Sullivan duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to the Chairman of the Board and the Superintendent

Commissioner Altmann suggested that an effort be made to secure a state appropriation

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded, and carried the matter to devise ways and means and the proper course to pursue to apply to the state legislature for an annual appropriation for the park be referred to Com. Speckels and Com. Altmann.

Complaint of J. W. Coffee that certain players monopolize the tennis courts on motion of Com. Sullivan, duly seconded and carried was referred to Com. Lloyd

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded and carried the matter in reference to filling in Washington Square was referred to the Superintendent.

Com. Lloyd made a motion that the superintendent be instructed to build two passage or drive ways for teams from the Great Highway to the track—

Referred to the Superintendent

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the superintendent was directed to tear down the old building at the water tank, and to also remove the old stable at the speedway

Com. McDonald reported on the system of renewing the loam in the park and proposed that a trustworthy man be employed for that purpose

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried foreman Quigley, an employee of the park, for the past 25 years was instructed to check and keep tab on the tickets given in exchange for loam in the west end of the park in addition to his present duties

Commissioners Speckels, Lloyd, Sullivan and Altmann voting for and Com. McDonald against the motion.

Meeting adjourned

H. J. Adams

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Friday, Jan 9-1903 there was no quorum present.-

H F Kahmann
Secy

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Lloyds office Friday January 23 1903
were present
Pres. Speckels
Com Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann

Absent
Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read approved and ordered filed

Com Reuben H Lloyd filed with the Board his official of re-appointment as Park Commissioner
On motion of Com Altmann seconded and carried it was accepted and ordered filed

Nominations for President of the Board for the ensuing year being in order Com Reuben H Lloyd nominated for re-election for A B Spreckels which was duly seconded by Com Altmann and carried. Pres Spreckels being elected

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and passed John McLaren was re-appointed Superintendent and Secretary acting Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioners

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the Supt was instructed to begin the construction of a lake on the north side of the park between the Main Drive and L St. and immediately east of the Buffalo meadow and which could be used for the sailing of model yachts.

President Practicks and Commissioners Lloyd and Altmann voted Aye - Com. McDonald voted No.

Report of the Gardeners for month of December 1907 read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed

On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to render a statement of the Gardeners Quarters and also of the Japanese Tea Garden since the were taken under the control of the Park Commissioners

Request of Planchard for permission to move a house over the Great Highway

On motion Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried permission was granted with the understanding that the house would be moved off out of the way of traffic by 8 o'clock P.M. Saturday January 18-1908 and final disposition and permanently located by noon Tuesday January 21st 1908

Mr Planchard agreed that these conditions would be faithfully carried out.

Mr C. Lee appeared before the Board and advocated the use of a Reeve Variable Transmission #7 Class E on the windmill machinery

Com Lloyd made a motion which was seconded and carried that the Secretary advertise for bids for supplying the Transmission

Allen Veatch presented a collection of fine orchids to the park and a vote of thanks was tendered him

Third page of a block motion by Com Morrison re Lingerie Ltd.

Granted

Request of L. Landau for permit to sell non alcoholic drinks on the ocean beach

Permission was refused as the Charter prohibits the use of property under the jurisdiction of the Park Commission for business purposes

Request of Miss N. C. Hankin for permit to gather botanical specimens in the park.

Referred to the Supt as it was not deemed advisable to allow this to be done, unrestricted

Com. Lloyd as a committee on tennis courts requested further time to report which was granted.

Resolution #3743 of the Board of Supervisors recommending the removal of the Dentiform fountain from Beaver St. and Montgomery Ave to a location in Washington Square.

Referred to Com. Altmann as a committee to select a site for it.

Report of Curator Holcomb on the number of persons admitted to the Museum in the past 6 mos. ending Dec. 31/06 and recommending $43 as settlement for.

Request of the Ladies Lying in Hospital and Foundling Asylum for Nursery maids for some shrubs to ornament the grounds.

Referred to the Supt

Section #3711 of the Board of Supervisors in which the Board of Park Commissioners is requested to change the name of the Great Highway to Balboa Boulevard

The Secretary was directed to reply and state that the Park Commissioners did not favor the changing of the name, which has been known and designated in the statutes of the State and in the City Charter as the Great Highway.

Permission was granted to Mr Hudson to examine the collection of baskets at present in the museum

Matter adjourned

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com Lloyd's office Friday, 6 February 13, 1903 were present

Com Speckels
Com Lloyd
" McDonald
Altmann

Absent
Com Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Report of the Supt for month of January read and ordered filed

Report of the Gardeners for month of January read and ordered filed

Report of the Foreman of Garden for month of January read and ordered filed.

In answer to the advertisement for a Power Transmission #7 Class K the following bids were received

Jas E Lowe	$765.00
Joshua Hendy Machine Works	666.00
Harold, Richard & McJones	795.00

Said bids including the connections etc were

Jas E Lowe	$1435.00
Harold Richard & McLane	$1550.00

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the matter was referred to the Directors for further investigation with power to award the bid under what we considered the most favorable conditions to the Commission

Communication from A Meire and indorsed by Lincoln Est Co. requesting permission to set up a telescope on the western border of the Great Highway

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. McDonald and carried permission was denied, but the Commissioners were willing to assist in any way possible to secure a site on the telescope on the private property of R Cotaling just off the Concourse.

Report of the Children's Quarters from April 1- 1902 to Feb- 1- 1903 read - showing an expenditure of $3c 3,54 15.5 for maintenance and $10.583.71 construction account, a total of $40.938 21, and cash receipts during the same period of $3540c 87.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden from Apl 1- 1902 to Feb- 1- 1903- showing an expenditure of $4600.35, and cash receipts $.5183.70

Monthly report of Curator Dillcomb of the museum received and read, and referred to Com Altmann

Report of Ino Gruber, Supt of Natural History received, and read - Referred to Com Altmann

Communication, received from the California Midwinter Mid-Winter Fair Athletic League asking permission to play some games in the park.

Permission was given for them to use a portion of the recreation grounds but no particular portion was to be reserved

Meeting adjourned

[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday February 20-1903

were present

Pres Speckels

Com. Lloyd

" McDonald

Altmann

Absent

Com Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication read from the Citizens Committee and their representative Sculptor Haig as to Sheldon appeared before the Board in reference to erecting a monument in honor of the California Volunteers at Van Ness Ave & Pine St

The Commissioners did not deem it advisable to erect the monument on the site mentioned by the committee and on motion of Com McDonald seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com Altmann and he was requested to select a site and to confer with the Citizens Committee

Communication from C. P. Wilson offering for sale his private collection of minerals and also a collection of curios gathered in Arizona and New Mexico.

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by and carried it was referred to Com Altmann to select such articles as he thought advisable to purchase.

On motion of Com Altmann seconded by Com Lloyd and carried the Supt was requested to ascertain the weight of the specimen of the statue of gold with a view to fixing the salary of the said owner.

A vote of thanks was extended to Hon A Sutro for his kind donation of a sheep and a collection of rare Australian seeds

On motion by Mr F. Thorn, Jordan Gate it was ordered that a new rose- the climbing Jacqueminot be planted

Accepted, and a vote of thanks extended to him

Pres. Sprecklels reported that the contract for furnishing the Reeves Variable Transmission #7, Class E with all connections etc complete for the new wind mill had been awarded to the Geo E Lyon Pumping Engine Co. the lowest bidders for $145.00 the firm agreed to make a reduction if the freight rates were lower than estimated in figuring the bid

Tom Lloyd made a motion seconded by Tom Altmann and carried that when the proper season arrived all surplus cuttings etc be distributed to permanent residents of this city as an aid to beautifying their homes and that some special day be set for such distribution

On motion of Tom Lloyd seconded by Tom Altmann and carried a vote of thanks was extended to (1) Mr D. J. Brown and (2) C Mack & the Pacific Coast Oil Co. at Ft Tejon and for their courtesies to Mr C. P. Holcomb - the curator in his hunt at the Indian mound there for relics for the museum

A vote of thanks was also extended to the Grammar for its kind donation of two bronze cannon balls to the Honorary.

As the museum is greatly crowded for room, a statue of Emperor Norton was reluctantly declined.

Meeting adjourned

H. L. Stevens
Secretary

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Commissioner Lloyd's office, Friday, March 13-1903

were present

Pres. Sprecklels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

His Honor, Mayor Schmitz was present and took part in the proceedings.

Report of the Supt for month of February read and on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the suggestions were ordered carried out.

Report of Children's Quarters for month of February read and ordered filed

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

Communication from the Standard Oil Co. giving notice of a raise in the price of oil (fuel) from 25 to 35 cts bbl

Report of Prof. Fuller of Natural History Museum for month of February read and ordered filed.

Bid of Britain & Reg of $200.00 for furnishing 2000 cubic yds of the mark of the park referred to Com. Altmann with power to act on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried.

Petition of J. P. Jackson for employment in the park read and ordered filed

Request of A. Kuhn to have it that the picture now on exhibit in the museum be returned to him ordered by Com. Altmann

Offer of H. E. Dodge to dispose of some Indian baskets
Deferred

Offer of sale of a silver fox from Pueblo Kid & Hoodlo Colorado
Deferred

Communication from C. E. Ichmig requesting of the Park Commissioners that musicians supported by the U. L. Government be not allowed to compete in the park at the Children's Quarters with the local musicians tax-payers of the municipality, and deploring the fact that such a [illegible] had been employed by the manager of the Children's Quarters

Commissioner Altmann's motion that Mrs Tuck's position as manager of the Children's Quarters be declared vacant was carried by the following vote.

Ayes - Pres Sprechels
Com Lloyd
Altmann

Noes - H. McDonald and
Sullivan

On the motion of Com Sullivan that no money be paid out in the park except in accordance with the provisions of the Charter was seconded by Com. H. McDonald and carried

It was decided that the Secretary take charge and supervise the Children's Quarters beginning Sept 1st 3 on motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com. [illegible] and carried.

A motion of Com H. McDonald that a special term of office be granted in the park was lost by the following vote.
1 Aye, and 3 noes - Com. H. McDonald - aye - and Com. Lloyd and Altmann and Pres. Sprechels - No - Com. Sullivan not voting

Com Altmann, a committee on the California Volunteer Monument reported to the Board advising that the monument be placed at the junction of 9th and Clark Sts. H. Altmann H. Committee. Com. Lloyd seconded and carried the matter was laid over to the next meeting and the Committee was instructed to be present at the meeting.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 4 o'clock P.M. Secretary

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office, Friday, March 27-1903 were present

Pres. Sprecklels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication from the Citizen's Committee relative to the California Volunteer Monument requesting the Board to grant further time in the selection of a site.
Request granted and matter laid over until the Commission heard further from the Committee.

Communication from the Board of Public Works in reference to the removal of Hankin fountain
It was decided that it was now in the hands of the Board of Public Works and that they be requested to act in the matter and to comply with the resolution of the Board of Supervisors to remove the fountain to a site selected by the Park Commission

Protest of the Pacific Coast Horticultural Society re the giving away surplus cuttings etc.
Ordered filed.

Notification from the Musicians Union that the rate of the musicians playing at the park had been increased from $4 to $5 per man.
Referred to Com Altmann who was appointed a committee to arrange for an increased attraction over the park concerts from the United Labor.

Application of (Mrs.) Hannah and (Mrs.) Wetherbee Hillmore for the position of manager of the Children's Playground
Com Altmann made a motion that (Mrs.) Hillmore be given the position. Motion not seconded

Com. Lloyd then made a motion seconded by Com. Altmann that Pres. Speckels be given full power to appoint a suitable person for the position and to appoint other than the applicants if he thought advisable, which was carried by the following vote

Ayes - Pres Speckels Com. Lloyd and Altmann

Noes. Com - McDonald and Sullivan

The bid of Brittan & Co of $1.75 for supplying 2600 maps for the Park Commissioners Report was received on motion of Com. Altmann, duly seconded by Com Lloyd and carried.

A representative of the Native Daughters of the Golden West asking permission to plant some Sequoia trees in the park or squares

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried permission was granted and the matter was further referred to Supt Parks

There being no further business the meeting adjourned

H. H. Schmitz
Sec

Vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Fox & Ex-
-hibitors for the donation of the Freight charges
the Pilot Knobs,

tendered to [illegible]
the Missouri.

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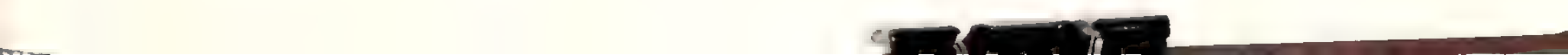
A Portland meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park [illegible]

for an increase in his salary.
Refered to Supt. John McLaren.

[illegible] received copy of the Journal of the proceedings of the Convention which framed the Constitution of Florida. Roosevelt

this motion, which was carried.

(Supervisor Gilliland gave notice of the
...ing date



Communication from Building Trade Council
concerning the Bay of Engineers.
(Placed on file

Communication from C. Bryon Mayor of Oakland
[illegible]
[illegible]

A regular Meeting of the
Board at Park Lodge Friday
Present
Com. McDonald.
" Sullivan.

Com. Sullivan

Com. Sullivan

C. A. F. No 8

H. P. CO

OFFICE OF THE
CITY ATTORNEY
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Aug. 4,
~~July 31~~, 1903.

Gentlemen:-

I am requested to give interpretation to that portion of Section 4 of Article XIV of the Charter which refers to the making of contracts. The Charter says: "No contracts shall be entered into, authorizing the expenditure of money without the approval of four of the Commissioners." No interpretation of this provision seems to me necessary. Salary accounts, to which you refer are not contracts.

Respectfully,

THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

Communication received from [illegible] the Park Commissioners report be sent to the [illegible]

Read and filed.

Communication from H. F. Dutton concerning the insurance on the [illegible] and ordered [illegible]

[illegible] instructed to obtain [illegible] the Dutton matter

Recommended [illegible]

[illegible] the Rev. [illegible] the Adams Street [illegible]

The Committee on Resolutions on request to the memory of Irving M. Scott presents the following.

WHEREAS, Irving M. Scott, one of the former Park Commissioners, has lately died; and

WHEREAS, he was preeminently distinguished for qualities that make for good government and for a trust such as the Park Commission; and

WHEREAS, the ability that was shown in the construction of the battleship "Oregon" was freely given to the care of Golden Gate Park to the end that it might be, with the ~~last~~ least possible expense, the pleasure ground of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, this talent was joined to a nature strikingly sociable and gentle;

RESOLVED, that we, the members of this Park Commission regret his death as a distinct loss to the community.

RESOLVED, that this Preamble and Resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Board, and that an engrossed copy thereof be forwarded to his family.

Dated, San Francisco, September 18 1903.

Frank Lawton

Jasper O'Farrell

necessary on the west side of Stream
Berry Valley. Seconded by Sullivan
Motion Carried

the South Granville route to the point
where they each leave the Cliff House from the
westerly end of the South Side,

Carried.

Clerk

[illegible] at the disposal of the committee the resources
P. G. Park in the way of plants + flowers.
Read and filed.

Communication received from Mrs Austin thanking
the Commissioners for the resolution adopted to
memory of her late Husband Joseph Austin [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Commissioner Sullivan the [illegible]
[illegible] for Parker's

[illegible] Parker's and the removal of [illegible]

[illegible] petition of the water Co. for
[illegible] Commissioners action at Union [illegible]
[illegible] be heard at next Court, [illegible]
[illegible] being made, and work progressing [illegible]
[illegible] Court ordered

[illegible] ordered [illegible] and sustained against the right, [illegible]
[illegible] maintain [illegible] in the [illegible]

[illegible] Price $18.00

[illegible] Pickett & Co.
8 X 12 Single acting Vertical Duplex Pump Capacity 20.000 Gallons per hour.
Price $185.00
- 8 X 10 Knowles class "B" Single acting Vertical Duplex Pump belt drawn
Price $185.00
- 8 X 10 Aldrich Single acting Vertical Duplex
Price $195.00

[illegible] Pickett moved to refer [illegible] Pickett Holden & Green and Chief Engineer [illegible] Superintendent of the Park Water Works to [illegible] Motion duly seconded and carried.

[illegible] no further business the Board [illegible]

Secretary

Communication from Commissioner's Sullivan and McDonald to Secretary Faulkner requesting him to permit Mr A. C. Thompson to inspect the books of the commission.

Communication received and the secretary instructed to assist Mr Thompson in such inspection

Communication from Board of Supervisors relative to the Police service

Communication from A. M. Foote relative to the Deputy Clerk and Clerk of the Police Court

Communication from Chief Clerk Collier relative to President Frankland

Sundry Claims

Report of Commissioner Sullivan, in relation to Commissioner Ellmann and carried, the full amount was allowed

President Sprackels, seconded by Commissioner
Kloud a vote of thanks was given Commissioner
Sullivan for his labors in correcting the
[illegible]

On motion of [illegible]
Commissioner Attorney the bills of Smyth and Van Orden for getting out the
[illegible]

Communication from A. C. Robinson acknowledging receipt of
Thanks Pleasants for quan

Contracting for the transportation of

One Indian Mat
Net-sinker,
[illegible] New Zealand, [illegible] of the
[illegible] Sea Expedition, in 1851.

Presentation of Commissioner Stephens, Esq.
[illegible] Sullivan.

WHEREAS, the Most Reverend Archbishop Riordan has this day requested the Board of Park Commissioners to receive a statue of the illustrious Junipero Serra, founder of the Franciscan Missions of California, to be donated by Hon. James D. Phelan, and, if the design is satisfactory, to select a site for the same in Golden Gate Park.

AND WHEREAS, it appears just and proper that this Board of Park Commissioners should show its approciation of the pioneer of pioneers of California, whose devoted spiritual children as early as 1769 crossed this very ground of Golden Gate Park on their way from Laguna de la Merced to Lobos Point in their mission of civilization; and

WHEREAS, the history of California of the past is the record of progressive steps from Paganism to Christianity evidenced by the Missions erected through the labors of Father Junipero Serra; and

WHEREAS, the Bay and Mission and Presidio of San Francisco owe their names to Father Junipero Serra and to him alone; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that this Board of Park Commissioners feels honored by the fact that it has been made one of the means of commemorating the name and memory of the illustrious Franciscan, Father Junipero Serra.

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Board select a Committee to confer with the Most Reverend Archbishop Riordan in reference to the site and design for said statue of Father Junipero Serra.

[illegible] Yeas
[illegible] Nays Seconded by [illegible]
Altmann.

Motion carried.

Commissioner moved that the present office be
hereby and that the [illegible] Motion
Motion amended by Commissioner Altmann, to
the effect that reasons be given
[illegible]

Minutes of the previous meeting
read and signed.

Report of the Solicitor the matter of [illegible]
considered.

[illegible]

Building Inspector's report
considered.

[illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible]

Ordinance

For the Regulation, Use and Government of the Parks, Squares, Avenues and Grounds in the City and County of San Francisco, Which Are Under the Exclusive Control and Management of the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco.

BILLS AND ORDINANCES.

ORDINANCE NUMBER ONE (1).

DOPTED BY THE PARK COMMISsioners of the City and County of San Francisco establishing rules and regulations for the use, enjoyment and government of the Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and the Great Highway,' belonging to said City and County of San Francisco, as designated and described on the Official Map of said City and County, and in Article Fourteen (14) Section one (1) of the Charter of said City and County of San Francisco and prohibiting and declaring unlawful certain uses, acts and practices in and upon the said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and 'Great Highway'' by the People of the City and County of San Francisco, by and through the Park Commissioners thereof, as follows:

It shall be unlawful for any person to commit, and all persons are hereby prohibited and forbidden from doing or committing in or upon any of the said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway" any of the following acts, doings or practices, to wit:

Part 1st—No person shall lead, turn in or let loose any cattle, horses, goats, sheep, swine or fowls of any kind in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 2nd—No person shall discharge any fire crackers, bombs, torpedoes, rockets or other fireworks in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," without having the permission of the Park Commissioners so to do.

Part 3rd—No person shall cut, break, dig in or in any manner injure any tree, shrub, plant in or growing in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway," or in any building or structure therein situated.

Part 4th—No person shall cut or remove any tree, wood, turf, grass, soil or rock or belonging to said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Gounds or "Great Highways, or driveways or highways thereof.

Part 5th—No person shall injure, destroy or deface any building, structure, dome, monument, fence, bench, chairs or other apparatus or property in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and "Great Highway," or write, paint or print in any manner upon the same.

Part 6th—No person shall deposit or dump, or cause to be deposited or dumped or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" any garbage, refuse, dirt, ashes, broken glass, crockery, bones, tin cans, or like matter, or any dead animals or fowls.

Part 7th—No person or persons shall hold any public meeting of any kind or nature, nor hold any public discussion or debate, where five or more persons are gathered together for that purpose, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway," without first obtaining the consent of the Park Commissioners thereto.

Part 8th—No person shall distribute, circulate or give away in, or throw or deposit in or on any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" any handbills, circulars, pamphlets, tracts, dodgers or advertisements, or post or affix to any tree, fence structure situate therein any of said handbills, circulars, pamphlets, tracts, dodgers or advertisements.

Part 9th—No person shall bathe in the waters of any pond, stream, lake or pool in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds, and no person shall throw into or deposit any dirt, filth or foreign matter in the waters of any of said ponds, streams, lakes or pools or in any manner pollute the same.

Part 10th—No person shall, in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and "Great Highway" chase, injure or set snares for, catch, injure or destroy any rabbit, quail, bird or wild animal, or disturb, injure or maltreat any domestic or other animal, quail or bird therein.

Part 11th—No person shall kindle or cause to be kindled any bonfire or fire of any kind in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and "Great Highway" or driveways thereof without the consent of the Park Commissioners thereto had.

Part 12th—No person shall camp, lodge, sleep or tarry over night in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 13th—No person shall sell, vend, expose of, or offer for sale any goods, wares or merchandise in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway." And no person shall erect or maintain any booth, table, tent or other structure in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" which is intended to be used in connection with the selling or sale any such goods, wares or merchandise, and no person shall occupy any part or portion of any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" for the purpose of standing any vehicle having thereon any goods, wares or merchandise in connection with the selling or sale thereof; nor shall any person bring into, upon or over any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" any table or other structure of any kind intended for the purpose of selling or offering for sale any goods, wares or merchandise whatsoever without the consent of the Park Commissioners first had and obtained therefor.

Part 14th—No person shall within any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" set up or display any exhibition piece of workmanship or show, or perform any theatrical or other exhibition therein without the consent of the Commissioners thereto.

Part 15th—No person shall indulge in any riotous, boisterous or indecent conduct, or engage in any fighting or boxing contest in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway"; and no person shall use profane, indecent, threatening or violent language therein; and no drunken, noisy, disorderly or publicly offensive person shall be allowed in or upon any of said Public Grounds.

Part 16th—No person having the care and charge of any dog shall suffer, allow or permit any such dog to enter upon or remain in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," unless said dog be fastened to and led by a chain or line of suitable strength and not more than eight (8) feet long.

Part 17th—No person shall maintain, expose, exhibit or play any game of chance, gambling table or contrivance or instrument of gaming or gambling in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and "Great Highway," and all and every species of gaming and gambling are prohibited in or on any of said grounds. And no person shall engage or practice fortune telling or any like practices therein or thereon.

Part 18th—No person shall play ball, fly kites, play football or engage in any other game or games in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," except at such places therein as shall be especially designated and provided for that purpose.

Part 19th—No person having charge of any funeral procession, hearse, dead wagon or other vehicle designed for or carrying the body of a deceased person for burial or otherwise shall enter in or go upon any of said Public Parks, Squares Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway"

Part 20th—No male person over the age of ten years shall enter any ladies' toilet room or apartment within any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway"; and no person shall cut or in any wise deface the walls, doors or any part of said toilet room or apartment; and no person shall write, print or paint on any part thereof any name, figure, language or sign of any kind.

Part 21st—No person shall mutilate, deface, cut or otherwise injure any building, structure or fence in, on or belonging to any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway", and no person shall post or affix any sign or advertisement thereto or thereon, or write, paint or cut any name, figure, or place thereon any writing, painting or printing.

Part 22nd—No person shall build, put up, place, erect, have, keep or maintain, or cause to be built, put up, placed, erected, had, kept or maintained any nuisance, or any fence, building, structure, obstruction or other thing which shall in any manner obstruct any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," or which shall in any way prevent, hinder or impair the full and free use and enjoyment by the public thereof And no person shall build, erect, place, put or maintain any building, structure, monument, dome or other thing in or upon any of said Public Grounds, without first obtaining the consent of the Park Commissioners thereto. Should any person without such consent build, place, put or maintain any of the structures herein named upon any of said Public Grounds, then it shall be the duty of the Superintendent of said Public Grounds, and the said Superintendent is hereby authorized so to do, to abate all such nuisances, and to remove all such buildings, structures, fences and things off of said Public Grounds.

Part 23rd—Any company, society or organization, when the number of members thereof shall exceed twenty-five (25) persons, desiring to resort to and use any of said Public Grounds for parade, picnicking or other pleasureable purposes, shall at least one day prior to the proposed parade or picnic or use of said Public Grounds notify the Superintendent of said grounds or the Secretary of the Park Commissioners of their intention so to use said grounds.

Part 24th—The building situated in Golden Gate Park and known as the "Sharon Building," and the grounds around and adjacent to the same, including the grounds on which they are situated, the swings, springboards, merry-go-round, croquet games, tennis courts, and the grounds prepared for baseball and other sports, are hereby designated and set apart as quarters and playground for children who shall visit the Park, and shall be used and occupied exclusively by said children and the parents guardians or other persons accompanying or having the said children in charge. The rules and regulations for the government of said Children's Quarter and Playground, and the particular designation of the persons who shall be entitled to use and enjoy the same, and of the exercises and amusements which may be carried upon the same shall be designated from time to time hereafter by the Park Commissioners by printed notices, which shall be posted in some conspicuous point in or near the said buildings and all persons visiting or using the said Children's Quarters and Playground shall conform to and obey such posted notices and regulations.

Part 25th—Power and authority are hereby given to the Superintendent and to the Head Gardener, and to the Police, and to any of the foremen employed in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and the 'Great Highway," to arrest and detain and deliver to the proper authorities or in their discretion to eject and expel from any of said Public Grounds any person or persons who shall, in their presence commit or offend against any of the provisions of this ordinance, or rules that may hereafter be passed or adopted for the regulation and government of the said Public Parks, Squares Pleasure Grounds and the 'Great Highway

Section 2. Part 1st—No person shall ride or drive in or on any of the roads or driveways of any of the Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or 'Great Highway" at a rate of speed exceeding ten (10) miles an hour, except on such road or portions of driveways thereof as may be provided, designated and especially set apart by the Park Commissioners for the purpose of fast driving or speeding, with any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and "Great Highway"

Part 2nd—No person shall, within any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," ride or drive any horse or animal, or drive or propel any vehicle of any kind elsewhere than on the roads or driveways provided and designated for such purposes.

Part 3rd—No person shall, within or on any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," ride, drive or enter thereon any vicious, unbroken or wild horse, mule or other animal, or use therein or thereon any breaking cart or other vehicle used in breaking any of such animals.

Part 4th—No person shall hitch or fasten any horse, mule or animal within said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at any place other than at such place as shall be especially designated and provided for that purpose.

Part 5th—No dray, truck, wagon, cart or other vehicle carrying or regularly employed in carrying goods, merchandise, manure, soil or other article of commerce or trade shall travel upon any of the driveways or roads of any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," for any other purpose than to cross the same immediately at the regular street intersections, nor upon any of the roads or driveways of said Public Grounds, except such regular transfers, crossings and traffic roads as may be provided for such use.

Part 6th—No person owning, driving or having charge of any carriage, coach or vehicle, let or used for hire, shall stand upon any part of Golden Gate Park or the roadways or driveways thereof, or the "Great Highway," for the purpose of letting or soliciting persons or passengers for the same. And no such owner, driver or person having in charge any such carriage, coach or vehicle shall solicit custom or passengers therefor within fifty (50) feet of any entrance to said Golden Gate Park.

Part 7th—The drivers of all animals, teams or vehicles passing each other in opposite directions on any road or driveway in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," shall keep to the right hand side of the said road or driveway in such way that each team or vehicle in passing shall have the other on the left. By the right hand herein mentioned is to the right of the direction traveled.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to, and no person shall, propel, drive or operate any horseless carriage, motor-wagon or automobile in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares or Pleasure Grounds belonging to said City and County, except upon the driveway in Golden Gate Park in this City and County commencing at the entrance known as Waller Street Entrance, or such other entrance as the Park Commissioners may designate, and terminating at the exit on the "Great Highway," which driveway is known as the South Drive, and upon the "Great Highway," south from the southerly line of Golden Gate Park to its termination. And also on and upon the "Great Highway" commencing where the northerly line of Fulton street, if projected westerly, would intersect said "Great Highway"; thence southerly from said line to the southerly end of said "Great Highway," and then only upon a full compliance with the terms and conditions and rules and regulations hereinafter set forth

Section 4. Part 1—No horseless carriage, motor-wagon or automobile or motor-cycle shall enter upon or be propelled, driven or operated in said Golden Gate Park, or on the said South Drive or "Great Highway," until after each of said vehicles shall have been examined and their safety passed upon by an experienced engineer appointed by said Park Commissioners for that purpose. The said engineer shall investigate and examine each of said vehicles as to their maximum speed, facility for changing speed, brake power, starting, backing and turning qualities, signals, lights and bells, horns or trumpets, the condition and age of said vehicles, safety valves and apparatus, noise, vapor or odor exhaled and any other matters that he may deem advisable, to the end that no dangerous or unduly annoying vehicle shall be admitted to said Park or on said Driveway or "Great Highway." Such examining engineer shall also examine each and every motorman or engineer of any of said specified vehicles who may apply for the certificate hereinafter mentioned, as to his knowledge of the working and propelling of said vehicle and the rules of the road, and shall personally witness an exhibition of his skill in using and working the same.

If said vehicle so examined is found to be safe and in good condition, and said applying motorman or engineer competent to propel and run the same, then a certificate, duly numbered describing the motorman or engineer by name and address, personal appearance and in any other way deemed advisable and designating the style of the vehicle and the motive power, shall be issued to said motorman or engineer authorizing him to propel run and operate said vehicle on said Driveway and "Great Highway" herein described, which certificate shall be signed by the President of the Park Commissioners or the member of the Park Commission making said examination. It shall be unlawful for any motorman, engineer or other person to propel, run or operate any of the above described vehicles in said Golden Gate Park, or on the said South Driveway, or "Great Highway" without first having received the certificate herein described.

At the time of issuing said certificate there shall be delivered to the motorman or engineer receiving said certificate two pieces of leather, each of which shall have corresponding numbers to those issued with said certificate, to be by said motorman and engineer running and propelling said vehicle placed upon the same, one in the center of the front and one in the center of the rear of such vehicle, in full view at all times while using said vehicle in said Park, or on the said South Driveway or "Great Highway."

It also shall be the duty of each and every motorman and engineer to provide for the vehicle run or propelled by him two lamps, which lamps shall be affixed to said vehicle, one on each side thereof, near to and parallel with the seat of the motorman or engineer. The said lamps shall be fully lighted and so kept from a half hour after sunset until a half hour before sunrise while in said Golden Gate Park, or said Driveway or "Great Highway." Each of said vehicles must be provided with a suitable bell, or horn, or trumpet, which must be rung or sounded when necessary and on all proper occasions.

Part 2nd—It is hereby made the duty of all motormen and engineers of any of said vehicles while in said Golden Gate Park or on said South Driveway or "Great Highway" to produce and exhibit said certificate on demand, to any member of said Park Commissioners, Superintendent, of said Park, or police officers doing duty in said Park, or Driveway or on said "Great Highway."

The certificate so issued is revokable, and may be revoked at any time at the pleasure of said Park Commissioners. A fee of two (2) dollars must be charged for the issuance of said certificate, and paid by the party receiving the same

Part 3rd—No motorman or engineer shall, and it is hereby declared to be unlawful for any motorman or engineer to run, propel or operate in said Park, Driveway or "Great Highway" any other or different vehicle than the one described and set forth in the certificate issued and received by him.

Part 4th—No vehicle specified in this section, usually engaged in carry baggage or merchandise, other than the personal effects of the owner, motorman or engineer thereof, or used for advertising purposes, shall be or enter upon or use any part of said Park, South Driveway or "Great Highway." Only such above mentioned vehicles as are exclusively used for pleasure shall be permitted the use of said Park, Driveway and "Great Highway."

Part 5th—No motorman or engineer shall, and it is hereby declared unlawful to run, propel or operate in said Golden Gate Park, or on the South Driveway thereof or on the "Great Highway," herein described, any of the vehicles herein mentioned at a greater speed than as follows: The speed on the straight portion of the South Driveway and said "Great Highway" south of a point where the south line of "H" street, if extended westward, would cross said "Great Highway" shall not exceed ten (10) miles an hour; the speed around the curves on the South Driveway shall not exceed eight (8) miles an hour, and the speed on the "Great Highway" between "H" street and Fulton street shall not exceed six (6) miles an hour; and at no time or at any place in said Golden Gate Park or on said Driveway or "Great Highway" shall any person run or maintain such a rate of speed as shall frighten horses or individuals using the walks, driveways and said "Great Highway." All such certified motormen and engineers shall follow and comply with the rules of the road, and are subject to the ordinances, rules and regulations of the Park Commissioners, and shall run, propel and operate their vehicles in such a manner as to avoid frightening horses and with due regard to the safety of the patrons of said Park. Should a horse exhibit signs of fright, the motorman and engineer must slow down, or come to a full stop, until the danger is passed.

Part 6th—The certificate herein mentioned is granted only for the continuous driving and operating said vehicles in and on said Park, Driveway and "Great Highway," and to be used without undue loitering. No motorman or engineer so certified, or any other person, shall race, run, or propel or operate in or on said Golden Gate Park, South Drive or said "Great Highway" any of said vehicles at undue speed, or at a greater rate of speed than herein fixed and specified, and it is hereby declared unlawful so to do. There shall not be more than two (2) of said vehicles run or propelled abreast of each other while used or operated in said Park or Driveway or on said "Great Highway." The said vehicles shall be run and propelled singly, and not attached to each other, except in the case of an accident, when one may assist the other.

Section 5. Part 1st—No person shall place, propel, ride or drive any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or similar vehicle on any sidewalk or footpath or crossing of [illegible] Park, Squares or Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway" or propel, ride or drive any of the said vehicles on any part of Golden Gate Park known as the "Children's Quarter" or "Conservatory Valley," or on that portion of said Park adjacent to the "Music Stand" thereof situated.

Part 2nd—No person shall ride or drive, lead or operate any bicycle, tricycle or [illegible] the driveway or walks [illegible] Gate Park or any part thereof [illegible] any of the walks or [illegible] upon any of said Grounds in Golden Gate Park

Part 3rd—No person shall ride, drive or propel any horseless carriage, motor-wagon, automobile, bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or similar vehicle upon any road, driveway or avenue in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," elsewhere than on the roads, driveways, avenues and highways especially provided and designated by the Park Commissioners for that purpose

Part 4th—Every person riding on or propelling in said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or similar vehicle at any time between sunset and sunrise must have attached to such vehicle, and in a conspicuous place in front thereof, a lamp or lantern well lighted while in or on said Public Grounds.

Part 5th—The drivers of all such horseless carriages, motor wagons, automobiles, bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes or similar vehicles when in or on any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," shall keep on the right side of the road, driveway or highway thereof; and where the said roads, driveways or highways encircle or group together, the aforesaid vehicles shall take the road to the right hand thereof

Part 6th—No person shall ride, propel or operate any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or similar vehicle in or on any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at a greater rate of speed than ten miles an hour; and at the crossings or junction of any roads or driveways, or at any place used as a crossing by persons on foot, at a speed not to exceed five miles an hour.

Section 6. No person shall disobey or violate any of the rules and regulations regulating the use and enjoyment of any of the buildings and structures in said Public Parks, Squares and Pleasure Grounds, which rules and regulations shall be posted in some conspicuous place in said buildings and structures, and the Superintendent of said Park, or manager, or person in charge of said buildings or structures, may refuse admission to, and may expel therefrom, any person refusing to comply with said rules and regulations.

Section 7. No person shall violate or disobey any of the terms or requirements of this ordinance, or any of the rules or regulations which the Park Commissioners shall from time to time pass and post or otherwise publicly announce for the use, enjoyment and government of any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway" or any of the buildings or structures therein situated.

Section 8. Words used in this Ordinance in the present tense include the future as well as the present, words used herein in the masculine gender include the feminine and neuter; and the singular number includes the plural, and the plural the singular

Section 9. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force in fifteen (15) days from and after its passage.

Section 10—Any person violating any of the provisions, or parts, of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Friday, June 17, 1904, and ordered published as required by the Charter, by the following vote.

Ayes—Commissioners Dingee, Lloyd, Altmann, Sullivan

Absent—President Sprec kels.

JAS. DIC SUCCA,
Secretary Park Commissioners.
Park Lodge, Golden Gate Park.
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for this collection is $200.00

Commissioner Cumming: moved that $300 be appropriated for the collection, seconded by Commissioner Anderson. Motion carried.

Report of Indian Exhibition Committee for the month of [illegible]

[illegible]

Referred to Supt. McLaren.

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At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at [illegible]
Parade Ct Friday [illegible] P.M.
were present.

President Hinckley
[illegible]
Commissioner

Minutes of the meeting were

Supt report Report of Supt for the two weeks ending the month of December
was received and ordered to be placed on file.

Ice Skating Rink
Tree Board report month of December [illegible]

[illegible]
communication
[illegible]

Asst Gubbins

[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Olympic Pier [illegible]

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A.A. Sprecklds

[illegible] ...ver Lemmon ...ward... a letter received from A D Lemmon his Attorney stating that he ...had been awarded $25.00 damages and costs. The cost was $20.80 Attorney Lemmon thought he could collect $25.00 making a total of $70.80

A D. Lemmon Baird

[illegible] Commissioner Gibson and carried. He was ordered to pay the bill amounted of $70.80 [illegible] Lemmon.

Property owners Petition Berbats st

Loan Silk

Bid to

Communication from the Sch. Board, like Commissioners
[illegible] no bill access to the roads of the Park &
use of roads in winter when on department business without
C. C.
Unanimous.
On motion of Councillor Dingee seconded by Councillor Watson
carried. The members of the Fire Department were
given the use of the Park roads when answering to
alarms of fire

Request from Capt. Cadet Corps of the Cadet Corps
to be provided with a suitable room for
drill &c.
Communication granted, provided, arrangements
can be made with the same.

Letter from Capt. [illegible] Fish, and Game
O.F.G. & F. & G. Association. Fixing time for [illegible] Game &c. for [illegible]
County [illegible]
the Queens Park for returning [illegible]
On return for these rooms [illegible]
[illegible] with [illegible] valued at $200.00 be
[illegible] valued at $100.00 [illegible]
[illegible] drawn upon duly [illegible]

Acceptance of Terms:
On motion of [illegible] seconded by Councillor
[illegible] Watson carried by [illegible]
Report of the Committee was accepted and
[illegible]
[illegible]

Engineer Weighmaster.
[illegible]

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Sth for Auburn

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the provisions of the Charter the request was refused

[illegible] ing that the Mission Park
Mission Park Association committee waited on the finance
committee of the Board
promised that the Park
[illegible] receive
favor.

Read and filed.

Communication from California Council [illegible]
Federation asking that the [illegible]
in the Park on or before June 13th [illegible]
will be entertained in San Francisco between the 3rd
17th of June.

Referred to Board of Supervisors

Communication from Board of Supervisors
for donation [illegible]

Secretary instructed to inform Board of Supervisors
no funds available at present to [illegible]
the Commissioners have [illegible]
a donation of the same to the Cliff House.

Communication from Board of Supervisors
Mc Allister monument Ball Mc Allister [illegible]
April 15th 1905. to be removed in a [illegible]
by the monument.

Report approved.

Communication from Board of Supervisors
Fort Baker Baker asking for a donation [illegible]

Placed on file.

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Thanks to Secty

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Room 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday, April 21 1905 were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Hilton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Captain of Police Tveson, commanding the Park district appeared before the board and explained in detail the system of police patrol at present in and about the Park.

Com. Lloyd was of the opinion that there was insufficient police protection given to that portion of the Great Highway and Ocean Boulevard at the terminus of the street railways where the cars empty thousands of their patrons.

This and other matters of interest to the Commission were fully discussed and Capt. Tveson gave assurance that every effort would be made to meet the wishes of the Commissioners in the way of patrols on the ocean beach and in attendance at the concerts.

Com. Lloyd called the attention of the board to the fact that offenders in violation of the ordinance pursue and kill the birds in the park.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried it was resolved to offer a reward of $50.00 for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons caught molesting or killing birds in Golden Gate Park

A delegation from the Bohemian Club, consisting of Richard M Barton - President; Theodor Bolte - Hilton and Edw. Mallows architect appeared before the board requesting permission on behalf of the club to place a bronze memorial of Fort Point designed by Wm Hilton in the gulch near the Academy in Golden Gate Park and further desired that the gulch because of its resemblance to an old mining gulch be named and designated Fort Point Gulch.

The committee was informed that it was customary to refer topics and matters relating to art to Com. Cummings the artist member of the board. On motion duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Cummings to pass upon the memorial and to report upon the desirability of granting the request, the Commissioners to receive the report and to determine the matter at a special meeting.

Contractor John McDonald jr. addressed the commission and offered to grade back an additional 3:1 along the H. st. frontage of the park @ 5¢ per cu yd (estimate 5000 cu yds)

On motion of Com. Floyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Supt McFarlan to make a report to Pres Spreckels who was empowered to act in the matter

In answer to the advertised bid for the privilege of printing and distributing the park musical programs the following bids were received.

Owen Printing Co	$10 per mo.
Phillips & Van Orden	$25

The Commissioners stated that some time ago an offer of $160.00 per month for the privilege had been made and Mr. Lyons the present holder of the contract who was present and desirous of being released agreed to pay each month during the term of the agreement the additional $35.- between $160 and the present bid of Phillips & Van Orden

On motion of Com. Floyd duly seconded and carried referred to Com. Metson for adjustment and the making of the new contract

The Superintendent was directed to remove the poison oak which is growing on Strawberry Hill

The following bids for hose were received in answer to the advertisement for the same

Pacific Coast Rubber Co

1 inch	19½ per ft
1¼ "	24½ " "

Forham Rubber Co

1 inch	25 " per ft
1¼ "	30

Bowers Rubber Co

1 inch	13 per ft
1¼ "	20 " "

Plant & Lippey Co

1 inch	23½ per ft
1¼ "	29½ "

Gutta Percha Rubber Co.

1 inch	14½ per ft
1¼ "	17 " "

Boyce Rubber Co

1 inch	20 ¢
1¼ "	24 "

On motion of Com. Singer seconded by Com. Cummings and carried 1000 ft 1 inch hose was awarded to the Pacific Coast Rubber Co at 19½ per ft. on a two year guarantee and the balance of 1 inch and 1¼ inch hose to the Bowers Rubber Co. on their bid of 13 per foot on 1 inch and 20 per ft on 1¼ inch hose.

Com Boyd advised the Commissioners to hold to the present rule and in the discussion now taking place with the Pelican Estate as the surveys recently made had proven that the Park Commissioners was correct as to the contention that the present line was the right one.

The superintendent was directed to provide a suitable wire abode for the recently acquired Golden Pheasants.

Communication from Denver Park Commission in regard to monuments

Referred to Commissioner Cummings

The Superintendent was directed to send air and gasoline to the committee on the occasion of the celebration of the Fourth of July in the park on Sunday 4th day of July 1909.

Communication from the Board of Public Works in regard to the establishment of grades along the Great Highway

Referred to Supt. of Parks

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the superintendent was directed to prepare map of the recent acquisition of park territory by the late bond issue

Com. Cummings suggested that the Museum building be moved for lighting purposes.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Cummings to report as to the cost of the moving, etc.

On motion of Com. Dickson duly seconded and carried the superintendent was directed to communicate with the United Railways of S.F. and endeavor to obtain the power for the proposed electric lighting.

The sum of "25." was authorized by the Commissioners to be expended at the Children's Playtime in holding it the 1st Sunday in

A simall cinnamon bear was presented to the Park by Mr. Harris of Oakland.

Automobile permit #729 issued to Mr. Gardner was approved noted on operating the 5 miles per hour automobiles in Golden Gate Park.

The matter of the purchase of the Wilcomb basket collection was referred to Com. Cummings.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned

F. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

By order of the President a special meeting of the Park Commission was called on Saturday, April 22nd 05 at 2 o'clock P.M. at the office of Com. F. J. Koster.

There were present Com. Frederick
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

also M. Heynemann and A. Conlisk representing the Hotaling estate. Pres. of B. Frederick in the chair.

The object of the meeting was the adjustment of the property lines dividing the lands of the Hotaling estate and the northerly line of the Great Highway.

Mr. Conlisk presented maps and surveys showing the lines claimed by the Hotaling estate and Com. Lloyd surveys and maps of the Great Highway according to the deeds and surveys on file in the Park Office

After considerable discussion it was finally moved by Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings and carried that the matter be submitted to the City Attorney for an opinion. Com. Lloyd Nelson and the Superintendent were appointed by the chair to present the above matter to City Attorney Long.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned

F. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel - 2 o'clock P.M. May 5 - 1905 were present

Pres. Sprockels
Com Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson

Mayor Schmitz was present and attended the meeting of the Board

Minutes of previous regular meeting and the special meeting of Saturday April 29 - 1905 were read and approved

R.P. Schwerin, L.T. Powers and C.P. Fox a committee from the Automobile Club of California appeared before the Board and petitioned the commission to revise the rules and regulations governing automobiles in Golden Gate Park and requested additional privileges in the use of several other driveways besides the Mount Lincoln Drive at present used

Mayor Schmitz joined in the plea of the additional privileges and strongly recommended that the petition be granted except Sunday and Monday

Com Metson moved, seconded and carried that the consideration of the present regulations particularly as to the matter was fully discussed and it was decided that Mr Schwerin should prepare regulations in accordance with the views of the club, Com Lloyd to prepare rules for the Park Commissioners, - these to be submitted to the Commission and the entire matter to be settled at a special meeting called for that purpose. - It was suggested that a trial of 60 days be given the rules of costs under the new regulations and it was agreed by the committee of the Automobile Club that the rules would not be enforced in the meantime and pending the trial the enforcement of the new regulations

On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded and carried the Secretary was directed to formally communicate with the City Attorney requesting his views and opinion in the discussion of the property interests between the Park and the property of the Cotaing Estate.

Report of Superintendent for month of April read and ordered filed

The Secretary was ordered to advertise for bids for supplies needed for the Park.

In the matter of the Fort Martin memorial Com. Wilson made a motion seconded by Com. Lord and carried that Secretary Douglas Gilpin be thanked for his kindness in the matter, that his suggestions and recommendations be accepted, and carried out, that the pedestal of canvas and plaster be constructed in model placed thereon and referred to Com. Cummings.

Report of the Childrens Concert on April read and ordered filed.

Chief C. F. Hiscomb - curator, to present to the museum pictures of the civil war also report of various other donations - Referred to Com. Cummings.

Request read by Henry Cox of Trustees that his petition for permission be returned to him so located

Communication from the Fire Commission asking permission to connect on main to the fire system of the Switch windmill to be used for fire protection only for the houses south of the Park and just east of the Great Highway.

(On motion of Com. Lord seconded by Com. Lundie and carried the request was referred to Supt. Doyle to report on its advisability.

(Com. Lord reported to the Board that a friend would give $10,000 for an additional windmill, as the present one had given a well, to be constructed at the Southwestern end of the Park.

Com. Lloyd then made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that the Superintendent be directed to select the site - make the necessary soundings etc and report to the Board

The Superintendent was ordered to construct double screen doors at the Children's Quarters, and endeavor to make the building fly-proof.

The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Board of Public Works, and request that Fulton St. between 6th and 10th Ave's. and Baker Street at the Park panhandle be repaired

Communication from John Flournoy representing the Park & Pleasure Riding Club asking that a driveway be built at 7th Ave. and Fulton St.
Ordered filed

Communication of thanks received from the commandant at Fort Baker for trees, etc donated by the Parks.
Read and ordered filed

The matter of supplying water for Lobos square was brought by the superintendent to the attention of the Board

President Spreckels volunteered to treat with the Spring Valley Water Co. and secure as reasonable rates as possible

On the trial of one Laurel who was arrested for distributing circulars in Union Square Park were ordered filed in the case and Com. Watson was appointed a committee for that purpose.

Letter received from Sarah P. Cutler, Oakland, Cal. offering to loan an old fashioned spinet (Mahogany) to the Museum.
Referred to Com. Committee

Offer of Miss Emma Summers to sell to the Park Commissioners a collection of fossils, minerals and shells.
Declined on account of lack of funds.

Request of the Board of Education that the Park Commissioners set aside and keep in the necessary repair a portion of Mission Park as public playground for the use of children of that vicinity.
Read and ordered filed

In reference to the request of the Board of Education

Spl a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace hotel on Friday, May 19-1905- were present

Pres Sprecklels
Com Board
" Dwyer
" Cummings
" Deeton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Spl out a dozen horsemen and owners stable owners appeared before the Board, advocating that certain restrictions be placed upon automobiles in Golden Gate Park, and that one of the main drives be kept free from them. They strongly urged that this be done as they were of the opinion that the automobiles would frighten the horses and be a menace to life and limb and that one of the main roads should be retained exclusively for horses.

President Sherwin of the Automobile Club of Cal was heard to the statements of the horse owners claiming that their cars would prove entirely unprotected, and that the modern automobiles of today which is being made noiseless and emitting no odor would put no one to inconvenience on the smallest drive with their measure of the fast

The answer to the advertisement calling for bids the following were received -

Name and amount

Powell Mfg Co
Amount - 3-7 x 7 Brand $2.30 per M
for return of each allowance .5¢ each
Name - Santa Fe Brand $1.39 per
for return of bbl allowance 10¢ each
Penfield check $50 M

Kosmos Manufg Co
Amount - 3-7 x 7 Brand $2.35 per M
for return of each allowance .05¢ each
Name - Santa Fe Brand $1.30 per M
for return of bbl allowance .10¢ each

Western Fuel Co:

Cement (Standard sand) $2.25 p bbl

Return of sacks - no charge .05 each

Certified check $250.00

On motion of Com. Nelson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the contract for supplying cement was awarded to the Western Fuel Co. - being the lowest responsible bidder.

On motion duly made seconded and carried the Carroll Lime & Cement Co. was awarded the contract for lime on their bid of $1.39 per bbl. being the lowest bid.

Pipe on Pipe

Lenihan, Carney & Hayden Co.

1000 ft.	3/4 in	galvanized pipe	$45.00
1000 "	1 "	" "	67.00
1000 "	1 1/4 "	" "	95.00
2000 "	1 1/2 "	" "	228.60
5000 "	2 "	" "	761.00
2000 "	3 "	" "	673.20

$2.00 per ton extra on delivery -

Certified check $200.00

Dalzell & Nolen Co.

1000 ft.	3/4 in.	galvanized pipe	$4.98
1000 "	1 "	" "	7.14
1000 "	1 1/4 "	" "	9.72
2000 "	1 1/2 "	" "	11.70
5000 "	2 "	" "	15.55
2000 "	3 "	" "	32.66

Certified check $190.00

Baker & Hamilton

1000 ft.	3/4 in.	galvanized iron pipe	$4.87
1000 "	1 "	" "	6.97
1000 "	1 1/4 "	" "	9.50
2000 "	1 1/2 "	" "	11.43
5000 "	2 "	" "	15.22
2000 "	3 "	" "	32.[illegible]

$2.00 per ton extra on delivery

Certified check $190.00

Holbrook Merrill & Stetson.

1000 ft.	3/4 in.	gal iron pipe	498	$49.80
1000 "	1 "	"	713	71.20
1000 "	1 1/4 "	"	972	97.20
2000 "	1 1/2 "	"	1170	234.00
5000 "	2 "	"	558	1767.00
2000 "	3 "	"	3264	653.20

Certified check $200.-

Pacific Hardware & Steel Co

1000 ft.	3/4 in	gal iron pipe	487	$48.70
1000 "	1 "	"	697	69.70
1000 "	1 1/4 "	"	950	95.00
2000 "	1 1/2 "	"	1143	228.60
5000 "	2 "	"	1622	761.00
2000 "	3 "	"	3191	638.20

"2" pipe low extra for coupling

Certified check $184.12

On motion duly seconded and carried one half of the above contract was given to Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden and one half to Baker & Hamilton these firms being the lowest bidders.

Bids on oil

National Oil Co.

Fuel oil gravity 16° to 18° .67½ per bbl.

Certified check $134.00

Standard Oil Co.

Fuel oil .61¾ per bbl

Certified check $123.50

Associated Oil Co

Fuel oil .66¢ per bbl.

Certified check $150.00

Union Oil Co

Fuel oil .57½ per bbl.

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract was awarded to the Union Oil Co. being the lowest bidder.

Linseed Oil and White lead

H. P. Fuller Co

Linseed oil .55¢ per ga

White lead 56¢ "

Certified check $

Western Paint and Oil Co.

Linseed oil	56¢ per gal
White lead	07½ "

Certified check $120.00

R. T. Nason & Co.

Linseed oil	55¢ per gal
White lead	07 "

Certified check $25.00

Sunset White Lead Works

Linseed oil	63 cts
White lead	06¾ "

The contract was awarded to W. P. Fuller & Co being the lowest bidder on motion duly seconded and carried

Lumber

Eastern Lumber & Supply Co.

Oregon Pine - Merch	@	$16.50 M
Redwood		14.50
Pine (select		23.
Redwood		31.00
Shiplap		
1 side		1.25
2		1.90
4		4.00

500 pcs T-G 3x12x20- @ $12.

Certified check $100.00

Walter Lucken

Pine	@	
Redwood		20

500 pcs T & G 3x12x20 $15.00

Surfacing $1.00 a side

F. H. Kruse

Pine	@	$15.00 per M
Redwood		$17.00
Pine (select		$22 - $27
Redwood		$27 - $32

500 pcs T & G 3x12x20 $40.00

50 cts per M for dressing

Surfacing 1 side

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J. H. Schouten & Co.
Rough Oregon Pine $17 to 18 per M
" Redwood "30." "
500 pieces 3x1x10 T. & G "36" "
Bracing 1 inch $1.75
" 2 " 3.00
" 4 " 4.50
Certified check $105.00

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract was awarded to the C. Ketrom Lumber Co. being the lowest bidder.-

Communication from Mrs Mary Horace Green ordered filed.

Report from C. F. Wilcomb - Curator - of donations, to received for the museum - Referred to Com. Cummings.

Order of Jas. Nicholson of Pasadena Cal to exchange Alaskan curios for Chinese, Japanese and Indian curios at the museum.-

Referred to Com. Cummings.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned

J. J. Schmitt
Secretary.

The gift was accepted and a note of thanks was extended to Mr. Murphy. It was decided by the Commissioners that the windmill be known and named the Samuel G. Murphy windmill.

Com. Lloyd made a motion which was duly seconded and carried, [illegible] plans and specifications be drafted for the new dutch windmill to be erected in the southeastern part of the park.

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded and carried, it was resolved that Engineer Shutt be employed to prepare the dutch windmill plans and specifications at an expense of [illegible]

[illegible] for $500. of a bust of [illegible] Boyle, declined on account [illegible]

[illegible] the Park Commissioners received from the Cahill [illegible] shown in connection with the premises [illegible]

[illegible] G. Woodcock in reference to the purchase of [illegible] of a personal interest to C. P. Wood.

[illegible] of Prof. F. Gruber of Dept. of National History Memorial Vase for month of [illegible]

[illegible] of payment of Mr. [illegible]

Letter of thanks from the Occidental Kindergarten for entertainment at the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

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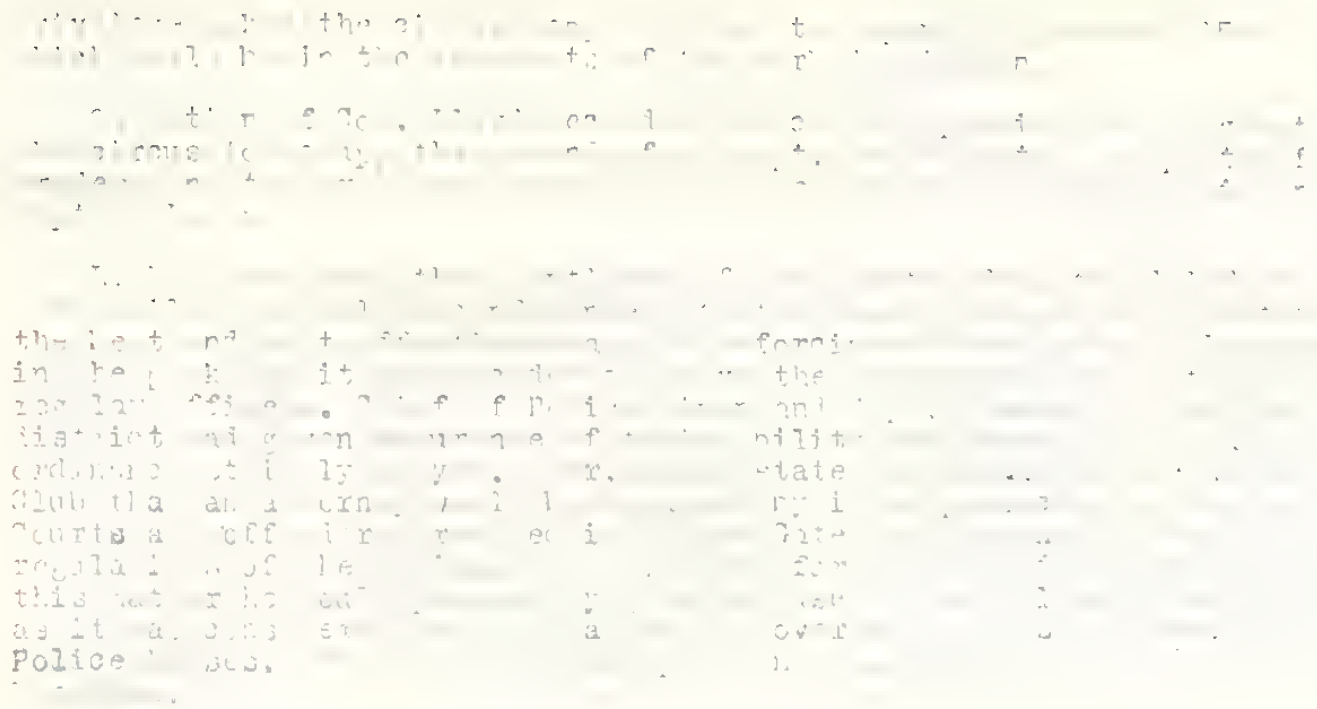

At a postponed regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Rm. 1010 Palace Hotel on Friday July 14, 1905, were present:

Pres.
Com.
"
Absent "

Report
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due order

Report of the Children's Quarters was read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Garden read and ordered filed.

Report of Mr. Hillmore,
ter of Orders and enter

Report of Capt. Gleeson of the Park Police
to lease Golden Gate Park for one year
ommittee. Read and ordered filed.

Petition for the reduction of the salaries
of 25¢ per day, from $3.75 to $3.50 per day. Read and ordered

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Secretary

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The sketch of the Saml. T. Murphy windmill was approved and adopte[illegible] Supt. was ordered to proceed immediately with the work of [illegible].

[illegible] the claim of [illegible].

Reports of Capt. of Police Gleeson of arrests made in Golden Gate Park. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Jno. W. Rogers, Curator, Museum, of donations, etc. made to the Museum during the month. Read and ordered filed. A vote of thanks was accorded Com. Reuben H. Lloyd for his donation of a complete set of U. S. Stamps, issued for use during the World's Columbian Exposition, 1893.

Offer of J. S. Whitterworth, Maple Falls, Wash., to dispose of [illegible] bear cub. Declined.

[illegible] permission to remove [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Room 1000, Palace Hotel on Friday, Aug. 18, 1905 were present:

Com. Lloyd
" [illegible]
" Cummings
" Watson
and Mayor Schmitz
Absent Pres. Greckels

On motion duly made, seconded and carried Com. Wm. H. Watson was elected to preside at the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Request received from Orinda Parlor, N. D. G. W. for permission to plant a tree in Golden Gate Park on Arbor Day. A silver plate was to be placed upon the tree properly inscribed.
The matter was referred to the Supt. it being decided to [illegible] request provided the necessary loam for the planting [illegible] by Orinda Parlor.

A lengthy petition was received from the residents and property owners along Page & Stanyan Sts. asking for the re-opening for the use of automobiles and carriages the road at Page Street.
The petition was taken under consideration.

Thos. Keogh an attorney representing the automobile interests of the city appeared before the Board asking that the automobile ordinance be amended to allow the use of the South drive by automobiles at all times.
It was decided to await a full Board Meeting before taking final action upon the request, and in the meantime the use of the South drive was allowed to automobiles at all hours.

In answer to advertisements the following bids were received:-

Vermiel & Co.

Wheat hay	$16.35	per ton
Oat "	15.35	" "
Rolled barley	25.50	" "
Bran	23.	" "
Oats	29.30	" "

Chas. [illegible]

W. A. Miller & Co.

Oat "	[illegible]	" "
Rolled barley	25.75	" "
Bran	25.50	" "
Oats	[illegible]	" "

Check [illegible]

Com. Lloyd stated that it was the desire of the ~~Commissioners~~ Commissioners to secure absolutely the best and purest articles for use in the park, and from the prices bid he was of the opinion that the articles offered could not be of the desired high quality and made a motion duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried that all bids on coffee be rejected. He further proposed that the green coffee beans be submitted to the Commissioners who could, if deemed advisable, mix and roast the coffee at the park. Samples to be given and tried by the matron of the Children's Quarters. So ordered. The samples of tea were turned over to Pres. Metson, who was to secure expert opinion as to the respective qualities of the samples, said bids to be acted upon later on.

The contract for furnishing flour and sugar was awarded to Hooper and Jennings, being the only bidder and prices considered reasonable, on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried, at the following prices:

Flour	$1.35 per sack
Sugar Cube	5.75 " cwt.
" Dry Gran.	5.50" "
" Powdered	6.00" "

Com. Dingee reported that he had held a conference with the officials of the Gas & Electric Co., who had asked permission to place wires underground and over-head at the Panhandle and along Ocean boulevard, in the park, and recommended that the permission asked for, be granted upon condition, as he had arranged ~~for~~ that the Gas Co. furnish to the Park Commission free of all charge, [illegible] lights on the ocean boulevard.

The Supt. was directed to have the [illegible] altered repaired where necessary at the Children's Quarters and Tennis Courts and to place some additional [illegible] there, such as stationary [illegible], etc. On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

Com. Lloyd stated that he thought it would be advisable to place wires, etc. on trellace work in front of the bath houses at the Tennis Courts.

The Supt. was ordered to have the same [illegible].

Com. Lloyd further stated that it had come to his attention that the loafers in the park at the ball grounds and [illegible] were frequently broken into and proposed that the Park [illegible] offer a reward of $0. for the arrest and conviction of the [illegible] and that the proper notices be posted in conspicuous places in the park.

[illegible] the fact that, despite the [illegible] in the habit [illegible] the Music Stand leading from McAllister because of [illegible] was of [illegible]

[illegible] was directed to ascertain the cost of raising the floor of [illegible] and constructing a asphalt walk through it and to the [illegible] report at the next [illegible].

His Honor, the Mayor called attention to the fact [illegible] at the Panhandle entrance to the park about the [illegible] is a hilly condition and which greatly interfer[illegible] [illegible] of the park. He stated that it should be removed and that portion of Baker St. filled and kept in repair. The Board of Public Works had [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held on [illegible], 1905, at 1000 Palace Hotel, were present:

Com. Lloyd
" Cushing
" Nelson
Absent Pres. Sproul;
" Com. Pinger

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. [illegible]. Nelson was elected President pro tem.

Com. Lloyd reported [illegible] ring to bid on the new Imbrella [illegible] of the opinion that additional time was necessary to [illegible] prepare bids and that he had authorized an extension of [illegible] days in which bids might be received.

The action of Com. Lloyd was approved and the Commissioners further extended the time to and including Sept. 11, 1905, for receiving bids.

Pres. Mr. H. Nelson reported on the sample of tea submitted at the previous meeting. From the statements contained therein, it was [illegible] that the highest priced articles were not necessarily the best [illegible]. On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cushing and carried, the matter was referred to Pres. Nelson to select some good reliable tea to be furnished for use in the park and was further empowered and authorized to place the order for the same and all bids that had been submitted were rejected.

Report of the Superintendent for August was read and the recommendations [illegible] were adopted and ordered carried out.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded and carried the Supt. was directed to fill and raise the grade of the floor 3 feet of the tunnel running from Fulton Street to the Public Court. This work to be performed as soon as possible but when best convenient and at a reasonable cost.

The bids submitted for coffee at a previous meeting were under consideration. It was decided to secure the samples of the green coffee beans, the blends and the proposition of Mocha and Java coffee in each mixture, and the matter was referred to Pres. Nelson for an investigation and report.

An opinion [illegible] that in order to better secure [illegible] in a, bounded [illegible] would be [illegible] purposes, it is [illegible] to place [illegible] that offset upon the property [illegible] County and City [illegible] to carry out the resolution [illegible] Attorney.

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ordered.
Offer

sills. Accepted with thanks.

Com. Lloyd secured and presented
This gift was accepted with thanks
seconded by C.L. Watson and carried
the necessary shelter or plo[illegible]ntry,

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the vine cutting enable[illegible]
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were piling through and [illegible]ving
On motion of Com. Dinges seconded
was instructed to remedy [illegible]

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A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday, Sept. 22, 190 Were present:

Absent

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. Wm. F. Hotaling was elected to preside at the meeting which was called for the purpose of formally accepting the convenience station at Washington Square presented by Capt. J. A. McDonald

A communication was received and read from Wm. Corlett, architect, turning over to the Park Commissioners in the name of Capt. McDonald, the keys and the convenience station.

Com. Lloyd made a motion that the Commissioners be voted to Capt. Jas. McDonald of Park Commissioners citizen who had so kindly presented a splendid and generous which was one of the finest in the conveniende station

seconded by Com. Pringle and carried. Lloyd then made a motion that the Commissioners proceed in a body to Washington Square to formally accept the convenience station and to seconded by Com. Pringle and carried.

On arrival at the Station, the same was inspected and thrown open for the use of the public.

Com. Pringle then made a motion which was seconded and carried, that the plaque to be placed in the station should state that it was the gift of Capt. James McDonald

and that a resolution of thanks be passed to Capt. McDonald for the gift and that a copy of the resolution be framed and presented to him.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, the Commissioners adjourned.

W. L. WHITTY,

Secretary.

Thos. Keogh, Attorney representing the automobile interests of the city [illegible] before the Board and earnestly urged that the present automobile ordinance be amended to allow automobiles the use of the South Drive in G. G. Park at all ti[illegible].

The Commissioners stated that automobiles were allowed at [illegible] the privelege asked for as long as the occupants of the vehicl[illegible] themselves in a proper and orderly manner and it was [illegible] to amend the ord[illegible].

[illegible] specifications for the [illegible] Lake.

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[illegible] Meeting.

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At a postponed regular meeting of Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel on

" Cummings
Present " Watson

Minutes of previous meeting /

Communication received from Mrs. F. [illegible] asking for privilege to erect and maintain [illegible] property along the southerly [illegible]

Matter was held over until next meeting [illegible] appear before the

Offer of Mr. T. P. Calverin to loan to the [illegible] wood carving purchased in Japan. Accepted with [illegible]

Report of Curator John W. Rogers of the [illegible] Museum. Read and ordered filed.

Com. Chester H. Lloyd reported to the [illegible] presented to the Park Commissioners the large [illegible]

Accepted and a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. [illegible]

There being no further business the meeting [illegible] adjourned.

[illegible]th, 1905.

A postponed regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at 1000 Palace Hotel Friday, Dec. 8, 1905. Were present:

Pres. Sprecke1s
Com. Dinge[illegible]
"
"
Absent "

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The Supt.'s report for month of November was read and the recommendations made therein were ordered carried out [illegible] the report filed.

Mrs. Muirhead, proprietress of the Cold Rock House at [illegible] appeared before the Board petitioning for the privelege for auto[illegible] running [illegible] on the Point Highway. After a full discussion of the matter, [illegible] taken under advisement.

Geo/ W. Chapman, Gen. [illegible] P. R. appeared before the Board at the request of the [illegible] to explain in detail the petitions of the P. R. Co. to be allowed to p[illegible]nd maintain trolley poles in the park along the line of Fulton St. [illegible] to 19th Ave.
On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by [illegible] carried, it was decided to place the poles outside of the [illegible] line [illegible] a line design ted by the Supt.

Letter of thanks received from the Dept. of Parks of Los Angeles for the donation by the Board of two pairs of Elk. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Curator John W. Byers of loans and donations made to the Museum. Read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meetin[illegible]

D. L. Schmitz

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run as far as B St. on the Great Highway, providing the removal [illegible]-able and unsightly signs maintained on property leased by her [illegible] the Great Highway, on motion of Com. Watson seconded by Com. [illegible] Carried. It was further understood that the present ordinance [illegible] changed and the first offense committed of running north of "B" [illegible] result in arrest and the revoking of the above permission.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd reported to the Commissioners that a bequest of $50,000. had been made in the will of the late E. Walter, to the Art Museum in the park, and also the Walter Collection of paintings. The sum $50,000. is to go toward the construction of an art gallery where the Walter paintings may be properly hung and exhibited.

An additional bequest of $50,000. was left to the son of the testator, the income of which was to go to the son as compensation for caring for the paintings and attending to the proper placing of them, etc.

Meeting adjourned.

[signature]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commi [illegible] at 1600 Palace of [illegible] on Friday January 5, 1906. There present:

Pres. Sprecke[illegible]
Com. [illegible]

Absent " Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Supt. for month of December [illegible]

The Supt. was directed to proceed with the [illegible] Cliff House road to a width of 10 feet and [illegible]. The construction of the concrete wall on the [illegible] also ordered to be begun with the understan[illegible] Board of Public Works and the Metro Estate [illegible] cost of these improvements, on motion of Com. Metson and carried.

On motion of Com. Tinge[illegible] decided to accept the offe[illegible] park Commissioners, a l[illegible] palms.

Communication received fr[illegible] [illegible] in re[illegible]

[illegible]

Report of Curator Rogers of loans and donations [illegible] the Museum. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Prof. W. Gruber of the Dept. of Mathematics [illegible] of donations and exchanges. Read and ordered filed.

Commissioner Cummings reported to the Board on [illegible] be erected in commemoration of the services of the Volunteers in the Spanish [illegible] and 30 ft. high. Com. Cummings st[illegible] he was of the opinion that the best [illegible] roadway of Van Ness Av. between Fell [illegible]

On motion of Com. Metson seconded by [illegible] of the site reported by Com. Cummings was ap[illegible]

There being no further business, the meeting [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday Mar. 19, 1906. Were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Metson
" Dingee
" Cum ings

This being the first meeting of the new administration, Com. Cummings presented his certificate of re-appointment by His Honor, The Mayor. The same was regularly seconded and ordered filed.

Pres. A. B. Spreckels was duly nominated and unanimously re-elected to serve as President of the Board for the ensuing term.

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the following employees of the Board were re-appointed to serve for the coming term at the same salaries as at present paid: Secretary H. L. Schmitz and the present employees of the business office, and Supt. Jno. McLaren.

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the following were re-appointed to serve at the pleasure of the Board and under the same salary and arrangements as at present: Mrs. C. Millmoce, Matron of the Children's Quarters and Mrs. C. O'Brien, Matron at the Stow Lake Boat-house.

It was decided also to continue to meet on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication received from John W. Page, Director of Museums, calling the Commissioners' attention to three matters and asking their consideration and favorable action thereon.

1st. Recommendation to increase salary of A. Lawson, [illegible] on duty receiving $2.50 per day.

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded and [illegible] at $2.75 per day.

2nd. Removal of the gas heater from the Museum and leaving the building without means of lighting without apparent danger.

This matter was referred by President Spreckels to Com. Metson for investigation.

3rd. Providing the [illegible] roof of the Museum with protection against accident to persons and exhibits in the building.

Referred to Com. Cummings and Supt. McLaren with full power to act.

Report of Cash [illegible] and Cashier

Report of Police Officer on [illegible] the Park. Read and referred [illegible]

[illegible] confirmation received from [illegible] below at time [illegible] device [illegible] link [illegible] term to [illegible] entitled "[illegible] [illegible]" [illegible] San Francisco [illegible]
[illegible] Acceptor of the Plaintiff.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [

At a regular meeting of the Park Com[illegible]oners held at 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday, Feb. 16, 1906, were present:

Pres. Sprecklels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Petition of the Precita Valley Imp't. Club asking that concrete coping be constructed around Bernal Park.
Ordered filed. The plans of the coping was not deemed advisable until the street work is done.

Communication received from the Mission Park Association requesting that are lights be placed around Mission Park/
Referred to the Light Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Request of the Olympic Club for permission to hold the annual [illegible] ice in Golden Gate Park on Feb. 22nd. Permission granted, affair to be held under the direction of

Clerk's Report of the sale of [illegible] to the proper parties upon the two buffalo dogs presented to the [illegible] by Mr. F. F. Hyde, giving the description and history of the animals [illegible]

Report of Clerk [illegible] to the same.

[illegible] Tom Cat [illegible] which will be [illegible] Driveway [illegible] 15th.
On motion of [illegible]
[illegible] granted.

The report [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Mr. Olney [illegible]

At a reg l r meeting of the Park Board [illegible] Friday Feb. 9, 1906, were present:

[illegible]
" Finger
" Cu ings
Absent " Hotton

Minutes of [illegible]

Capt. [illegible] ation to removal of [illegible]

In the matter of [illegible] permission to erect

[illegible] ent [illegible] ion by and before the [illegible] first [illegible], and the PARK [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Thereupon [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners, held at 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday, March 2/1906., were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Sup't. read and ordered filed.

Report of Curator Rogers of the Museum of donations made. Read and ordered filed.

No bids were received in answer to the advertisement for 10" cast iron water pipe, and as it was very urgent and necessary that it be procured without delay, the matter of securing the same was referred to Pres. Spreckels, with power to order and purchase the pipe in the East if not obtainable in town.- on motion of Commissioner Lloyd, seconded by Commissioner Metson and carried.

Application of C. Stader of Glen Park for young trees and shrubbery denied, as same was to be used in private grounds.

Communication received from G. Wayne Coffee in reference to Stow Lake Road and ordered filed.

Communication received from Mme. J. Junosza, artist, asking authority to collect a sufficient sum of money from public spirited citizens to purchase for the Museum 3 copies made by her of famous pictures. Referred to Commissioner Cummings with full power to act.

Several of the Commissioners complained that they had observed chaffeurs abusing the automobile privileges in the park, and were of the opinion that some action should be taken to stop it.

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd, seconded by Commissioner Dingee and carried, the Sup't. was directed to place four men to act as special watchmen in the park - 2 to be stationed along the South Drive and 2 on the Great Highway, for the purpose of securing the numbers and causing the arrest of the automobilists that were ignoring the rules and regulations established by the automobile ordinance. It was further decided that if the abuses were not abated that the automobile privileges be recinded.

Commissioner Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. Metson and carried that all walks, avenues and roads in the park be named and that suitable signs be placed thereon plainly designating each name, and also that proper direction and sign posts be erected at various points in the park.

The Sup't. was directed to have a survey made of the land connecting the Presidio and Golden Gate Park, recently purchased by the

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was called for Friday, March 16, 1906., at 1000 Palace Hotel, were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Dingee

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

There being no quorum present the meeting was postponed by Pres. Spreckels to Friday, March 23, 1906.

Secretary.

bond issue and turned over to the Commissioners for park purposes, also to report the estimated cost of placing it in proper shape for park use and suitable designs etc for the same, on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Metson and carried.

The Secretary was authorized to advertise for bids for the pumps for the new Sam'l. G. Murphy windmill as per specifications on file in the office.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Pope & Talbot for their donation to the park, for the wings of the new windmill, the necessary clear sticks measuring 114 feet in length, 2 feet square in center and 8 inches at tips.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

W. J. Schmidt
Secretary.

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Dingee's office, Friday, June 15, I906., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. McLaren for month of May was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Commissioners received from Jas. D. Phelan, Chairman Finance Committee of the Red Cross and Relief Funds protesting against the establishment and maintaining of a temporary building for the St. Francis Hotel in Union Square. Read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the Sup't. was authorized to rent out the Japanese Tea Garden privilege.

The Secretary was directed to advertise for bids for linseed oil, white lead, cement and lime, fuel oil, lumber etc. for use in the park.

Communication received from Mr. Jas. Woods, Manager Hotel St. Francis, stating the conditions under which his company was erecting a temporary structure in Union Square. Same was read and approved of by the Board.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

as far as possible and to allow the funds of the Parks and the time and services of the Supt. be used in repairing the various d[illegible]

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried a vote of thanks was extended to Supt. and Mrs. McLaren for the magnificient and efficient manner in which assistance was given to the homeless who applied to the Park Police for food and shelter. An engrossed copy of the resolution was ordered to be prepared and presented to Mr. and Mrs. McLaren.

Com. Wm. M. Watson reported to the Board that during the time of the earthquake and fire, he had issued written orders in the name of the Park Commissioners for the issuance of the refugees.

[illegible] was given by Com. Watson to the Union Square, Jefferson Square, and Hayes Valley Water Co. to allow refugees to go into the [illegible] and to camp at any place in Golden Gate Park, [illegible] to use the Park Police assisting in handling food to refugees.

On Apr. 30th he issued directions for the S. F. Water Co. to go into Garfield Square at 26th & Harrison Sts., for the period of one year, they to leave on 60 days notice. This [illegible] given to Mr. Schmitz, the Chief Engineer. The city [illegible] that the company had no place to [illegible] but to do.

The permit was issued by Com. Watson [illegible] maintaining a guard in the square for

The petition was granted to Mrs. Crocker to establish a camp on Union Square for the purpose of feeding the refugees, the proceeds to go to the Relief Fund.

An Emergency Hospital was located in Jefferson Square. The work had started before it was seen by Com. Watson and the Park Police objected to the [illegible] then, because it was an eyesore, later on however, the Board of Health directed to put up a stable at Jefferson Square for the use of the horses attached to the Emergency Hospital service and enclosed with a fence down Fell Street, etc. The Commissioners [illegible] to the work going on and accepted same.

For the purpose of adjusting insurance of the policy holders of San Francisco, the directors were given [illegible] in Union Square.
A small building has been erected [illegible] for their use.

In the absence of Com. Watson, Com. Fitzgerald moved that he had no objection to the [illegible] with the other park [illegible] asked for their action.

On motion of Com. Fitzgerald, duly seconded and carried the acts of [illegible] in the issuance of permits be commended [illegible] efficient.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried, the use of the park [illegible] for the [illegible], was to be allowed the refugees. [illegible] be granted.

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A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Dingee's office, Friday, June 15, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. McLaren for month of May was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Commissioners received from Jas. D. Phelan, Chairman Finance Committee of the Red Cross and Relief Funds protesting against the establishment and maintaining of a temporary building for the St. Francis Hotel in Union Square. Read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the Sup't. was authorized to rent out the Japanese Tea Garden privilege.

The Secretary was directed to advertise for bids for linseed oil, white lead, cement and lime, fuel oil, lumber etc. for use in the park.

Communication received from Mr. Jas. Woods, Manager Hotel St. Francis, stating the conditions under which his company was erecting a temporary structure in Union Square. Same was read and approved of by the Board.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held on Friday, July 6, 1906., at the office of Com. Reuben H. Lloyd., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Metson
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Sup't. for month of June read and ordered filed and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Communication received from the representatives of the Presbyterian Church of the City of San Francisco, requesting permission to erect a large tent in Golden Gate Park for the purpose of holding therein religious services. Request denied, the same being prohibited by the provisions of the Charter.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Callaghan owner of the building at the corner of McAllister and Market Sts. for his kind donation of the stone from his building, necessary to repair the Park Emergency Hospital.

In answer to the advertisement for bids for supplying the park, the following were received:-

W. P. Fuller & Co.
White Lead 7-1/5 cts per lb.
Linseed oil 47 " " gal.
Certified check $40.

California Asphaltum Agency, Union Oil Co.
Fuel oil 65 cts per bbl.
Certified check $185.

Standard Oil Co.
Fuel oil 58 cts per bbl.
Linseed oil 51 " " gal.
Certified check $140.

Dalziel, Moller Co.
Calking lead 6.65 cts per lb.
Certified check $30.

On motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded and carried, W. P. Fuller was awarded the contract of supplying the linseed oil at 47 cts per gal, that being the lowest bid, and white lead at 7-1/5 cts per lb.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held in Com. Lloyd's office on Friday, July 20, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Dingee
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Application of Rev. Frank S. Ford for permission to erect a church in Duboce Park for temporary use by his Congregation denied, the same being contrary to the provisions of the Charter.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd reported to the Board that he, accompanied by Com. Cummings, and the Sup't. and Secretary, appeared before the Finance Committee of the General Relief Committee and requested an appropriation for the purpose of giving employment to the able bodied men camping on the various squares about the City and in Golden Gate Park. Com. Lloyd proposed that the recently purchased park property connecting the Park and the Presidio Reservation be graded and improved for Park purposes and the appropriation asked for, to be used to pay the refugees for the labor performed by them. The Finance Committee favorably considered the matter and stated that it would recommend the giving of the appropriation asked for, namely $100,000.

A vote of thanks was given to Com. Reuben H. Lloyd, for his forsight and for his efforts to secure fund.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the Sup't. was directed not to allow any more refugee camps to be located in the city squares. There was at present quarters for over 1000 more regugees at the camp in the Park at the Speedway, and it was deemed advisable by the Commissioners to concentrate the refugees as far as possible at this location.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Relief Commission and other Relief authorities to this effect.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

On motion duly sedonded and carried the Standard Oil Co. was awarded the contract for fuel oil on their bid of 58 cts per bbl., the lowest bid.

Harvey Bennington a refugee of Garfield Square appeared before the Board stating that he was a committee representing 200 or 300 refugees camping in the Square, and protested against their removal from their present location. The Relief and Red Cross Committees had notified them that on account of lack of sanitary facilities in Garfield Square that they must move to another location. Mr. Bennington disputed the authority of the Red Cross and Relief Committees and entered his protest with the Commissioners who informed him that he and those he represented must abide by the orders they had received, as the Committees of Relief and Red Cross had entire charge and control of the Refugee Camps.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held in Com. Lloyd's office on Friday, July 20, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Dingee
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

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There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Com. Lloyd's office on Friday, August 3, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Sup't. for the month of July was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Request received from the Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Circus, under the Ringling Bros. management, for permission to occupy a portion of Mission Square on the 8th., 9th., and 10th., of Sept. Request granted providing the circus people would do some necessary grading in the park and deposit with the Park Commission $500. to be donated to the Relief Fund, which the Circus people agreed to do.

Communication received from the Board of Education asking the Park Commissioners to donate for temporary school purposes in Golden Gate Park some unused wooden structures located in the Deer Paddock. Granted on motion of Com. Dingee, duly seconded and carried.

Copy received from the Health Commission of a resolution passed by it disposing of several refugee camping sites in the City Squares on account of the unsanitary condition, and asking the co-operation of the Park Commissioners in accomplishing the object of the resolution. Referred to Sup't. McLaren for action on motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried.

Through the suggestion and efforts of Com. Reuben H. Lloyd, Mr. Frederick A Robbins a resident of this city, traveling in Japan, donated to the Park Museum two large handsome Japanese lanters. Gift was accepted with thanks, and on motion of Com. Dingee seconded and carried a vote of thanks was tendered to Com. Lloyd for his interest in the matter.

Report of Prof. Gruber of the Dep't. of Natural History of the Park Museum, read and ordered filed.

Communication received from A. W. Torrey, Mayor of the City of Eureka, asking that the Park Commissioners, in order to assist that place in establishing a public park, to donate to it a pair of Elk. Request granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

A vote of thanks was given to Pres. A. B. Spreckels for his kind donation of a pair of giant clam or Tridacna Gigas shells, from the Indian Ocean.

Thomas Morton & Son.

Pennsylvania Egg Coal		$15. per ton
Welsh Anthracite	"	13.25 " "
Wellington	"	8.20 " "

On motion seconded and carried the contract for coal was awarded to Thos. Morton & Son, only bidder.

Dalziel, Moller & Co. was awarded the contract for 5000 feet of pipe on their bid of 3" galv.pipe at $13.70 per 100 feet, and 1-1/2" galv.pipe at $10.35 per 100 feet., being the only bidder.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Dingee's office on Friday, August 17, 1906, were present:-

Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Spreckels
Com. Metson

His Honor, the Mayor attended the meeting.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd was unanimously elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The members of the Relief and Rehabilitation Committee's appeared before the Board asking the co-operation of the Board of Park Commissioners in providing suitable shelter for the winter for the refugees. Committeeman Magee on behalf of the Relief Committee stated that it was their intention to build portable houses and barracks in the Park and Public Squares, the houses to remain for one or two years, and asked permission to erect them. Commissioner Lloyd in reply stated that the Park Commissioners in the past had done everything within their power to assist in relieving the unfortunate refugees and would continue to do so in the future. He called attention of the Relief Committee to the provision of the Charter that park property could not be used for any but park pleasure purposes and therefore the permission for occupancy could not be granted, but that the Park Commissioners would not remove the houses if they were built in the parks and squares.

His Honor the Mayor, stated that a great deal of uneasiness had been occasioned by the appearance of permanency of some of the buildings already erected in the City Squares, particularly mentioning Union Square, and recommended that a time limit be set by the Park Commissioners for such occupancy. Commissioner Lloyd stated that no building not used for park purposes would be allowed to remain longer than one year, and such notice would be officially served to all, and the following resolution on motion of Commissioner Dingee, duly seconded by Commissioner Cummings was unanimously carried. Resolved that no buildings or structures be erected in the park or squares without the consent and under the direction of the Superintendent. Notice is hereby served to all, that all and every building, tent or structure of any and every description in the park or squares not used for park pleasure purposes must be removed therefrom on or before the 17th day of August, 1907. The Superintendent is hereby ordered and directed to remove on or before August 17, 1907, all intruders from the City Parks and Squares and all and every building not used for park pleasure purposes."

Communication received from Geo. E. Bates, attorney-at-law, notifying the Park Commissioners that Mrs. Susanna Brown, deceased,had bequeathed the sum of $5000., to the Commission for the purpose of erecting a gate or archway at the Haight street entrance of Golden Gate

Action of Com. Lloyd in allowing Mr. Magee of the Relief Committee to temporarily exhibit in Union Square a sample refugee's home, approved by the Board.

In answer to the advertisement for the same the following bids were received:-

Scott & Magner

Wheat hay	$17.95	per ton
Oat "	17.00	" "
Barley	1.35	per sack
Oats	1.65	" "
Bran	23.50	" ton

J. L. Vermeil & Co.

Wheat hay	17.71	per ton
Oat "	16.71	" "
Barley	1.32	" sack
Oats	1.64	" "
Bran	21.90	" ton

Somers & Co.

Wheat hay	17.88	per ton
Oat "	17.88	" "
Barley	1.40	" sack
Oats	1.75	" "

Miller & Co.

Wheat hay	18.25	per ton
Oat "	16.95	" "
Barley	1.37-1/2	per sk.
Oats	1.69	" "

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract for the above was awarded to Vermeil & Co., being the lowest bidder.

Thomas Morton & Son.

Pennsylvania Egg Coal	$15.	per ton
Welsh Anthracite "	13.25	" "
Wellington "	8.20	" "

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Dalziel, Moller & Co. was awarded the contract for 5000 feet of pipe on their bid of 2" galv.pipe at $13.70 per 100 feet, and 1-1/2" galv.pipe at $10.35 per 100 feet., being the only bidder.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secty.

Park or at such other entrance to said park as they may deem advisable, suitably inscribed and dedicated as the gift of her beloved husband Richard Brown, deceased. The gift was thankfully received and the matter turned over to Com. Lloyd representing the Park Commission.

Com. Cummings proposed to the Commissioners that a unique stone fence be constructed along the Stanyan Street side of the park. He was of the opinion that sufficient stone for this purpose could be gathered up from the various down town streets. The suggestion was adopted and referred to Com. Cummings with full power to act.

Communication received from Mrs. Dora N. Williams, 1019 Vallejo St., reporting the loss of a basket left in the care of Foreman Paulson of Washington Square. Referred to the Sup't.

On motion duly seconded and carried, Com. Dingee was authorized in the absence of Pres. Spreckels to sign checks for payment for labor on the Athletic Field.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned.

Secty.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office, Sept. 14th., those present were Commissioners Lloyd, Dingee and Cummings, absent Com.issioners Spreckels and Metson.

The Secretary not being present the Minutes of the former meeting were not read.

It was moved and carried that Commissioner Dingee take the chair, Commissioner Cummings acting as Secty.

The order of the meeting was that the Sup't. be instructed to stop all dumping on Jackson Square and to have the Secty. advertise for bids for said privilege, the Board having received bids of from $400. to $600. for the privilege.

A delegation of citizens from the neighborhood of Alta Plaza was present to protest against the erection of relief cottages in that square. It was decided not to allow cottages to be erected on Alta Plaza, Lafayette or Alamo Square.

The Dow Pumping Co's. specifications and drawings for the pumps for the Murphy Windmill were accepted and the award so ordered.

Several competitive designs were offered for the Richard Brown Memorial Gate to be placed at the entrance of Eight Ave. The selection was made by Mr. A. C. Hooper, one of the executors of Mrs Brown's Will. The selection receiving the approval of the Board,was accepted, Lansburgh and Joseph Archt.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

for and managed, on motion duly seconded and carried the communication was ordered filed.

The Sup't. was directed to investigate and to report to the Board the number of ablebodied refugees living in the park and squares, and to keep the refugees off the recreation ground, the lawn tennis courts and the bowling green, and to cause their removal to the unimproved

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office, on Friday, October 5, 1906., were present:-

Commissioner Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
" Spreckels

On motion of Commissioner Dingee, duly seconded by Commissioner Cummings, Com. Wm. H. Metson was unanimously elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The following resolution closing the bicycle path was presented, and on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 3
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to Bicyclists.

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Section 111. This Ordianance shall take effect immediately.

The following resolution converting the former bicycle path into a road for equestrians was presented, and on motion duly seconded was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 4
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Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Spreckels

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried, Com. Wm. J. Dingee was elected to preside at the meeting.

In answer to the advertisement calling for bids for the exclusive privilege of dumping debris in Jackson Park filling it to the official grade of the street, the following were received:-

Rudolph Spreckels	$1135, certified check	$113.50
Warren Improvement Co.	3200. " "	320.00

The privilege was awarded to Warren Improvement Co., on its bid of $3200., on motion duly seconded and carried.

Communication received from Henry R. Worthington Pump Company protesting against the awarding of contract for the Samuel G. Murphy windmill machinery to the Dow Pumping Engine Co. The matter was fully and satisfactory explained by Com. Reuben H. Lloyd and the Communication was ordered filed.

Communication received, signed by a number of bicyclists and bicycle dealers protesting against confining the bicyclists to the bicycle paths, and requesting that they be given the privilege of using the driveways in the park. On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded and unanimously carried it was decided to rescind the present bicycle ordinance, to amend the same to comply with the bicyclists request, and to convert the present bicycle roads to bridle paths. Com. Wm. H. Metson was appointed a committee to prepare the amended ordinance.

A communication received from Wm. T. Love signing himself general manager of the United Refugees, protesting against authority being given the Relief and Red Cross Committees in the park and squares, and finding fault with the manner in which the Relief Funds were being expended. As the Park Commissioners have never granted permission to erect houses in the park and squares and had nothing to do with the Relief Funds, and as far as they knew the funds were being properly cared for and managed, on motion duly seconded and carried the communication was ordered filed.

The Sup't. was directed to investigate and to report to the Board the number of ablebodied refugees living in the park and squares, and to keep the refugees off the recreation ground, the lawn tennis courts and the bowling green, and to cause their removal to the unimproved

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office, on Friday, October 5, 1906., were present:-

Commissioner Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
" Spreckels

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park property consisting of 7 square blocks, extending from the northerly side of the park to the Presidio Reservation. The secretary was instructed to call the attention of Committeeman Thos. Magee, of the Relief Building Committee to this desirable building site, and to request that the refugees be moved from the Park and Squares to this location.

Com. Wm. H. Metson reported to the Board that he had observed many automobilists breaking the automobile rules in Golden Gate Park, and on motion of Com. Metson, duly seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried, it was decided to strictly enforce the ordinance, and the Secretary was directed to have the automobile rules printed, distributed to the various automobile garages and displayed in conspicuous places.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office, on Friday, October 5, 1906., were present:-

Commissioner Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
" Spreckels

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the said Main Drive with the Great Highway, is hereby set apart and reserved for the exclusive use of equestrians; and it shall be unlawful for any person to walk thereon, or to drive any buggy, carriage or other vehicle thereon, or to run any automobile thereon, or upon any other road or pathway which has been hereto fore set apart or reserved for the exclusive use of equestrians.

Section 11. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 111. This Ordiance shall take effect immediately.

Report of Sup't. for month of September was read and ordered filed and the recommendations contained therein were ordered carried out.

A communication from Shreve & Co. addressed to Com. Wm. J. Dingee, offering to present to the Park Commissioners, to be placed in a suitable location in Golden Gate Park, a bronze lion, natural size, which was recovered from the burned out art rooms of Shreve & Co., after the great conflagration of April 18th to 21st.

Commissioner Cummings reported to the Board that J. D. McGilvray had kindly consented to present to the Commissioners the stone base or pedestal necessary for mounting the statue.

The gift of Shreve & Co. was accepted and a vote of thanks was extended them, also to Mr. McGilvray for his donation.

On motion duly seconded and carried, Com. Cummings was appointed to select the proper site for the lion and prepare the inscription for the same for approval at next meeting of the Board.

Request of the Board of Public Works for permission to dump temporarily street sweepings in Mission Park. Granted providing that the street sweepings deposited were acceptable to the Sup't.

Petition of the Refugees of Lafayette Square to remain there, stating that many of them were employed in the immediate neighborhood. Mrs. J. W. Scott representing the Refugees stated to the Board that the refugees were in the Square and proposed remaining until Aug. 17, 1907.

Thos. agee and members of the Relief Committee appeared before the Board asking that they be allowed to erect houses for the refugees in all the Squares.

Com. Wm. H. Metson and the other Commissioners of the Board explained to the committee that great damage was being done the squares, the lawns were being ruined, shrubs destroyed and trees that had taken 25 years to grow and develop were being killed and that the houses could be placed on suitable sites that were unimproved and where no damage would result.

Attention was further called to the fact that the title to park lands was being jeopardized by the fact that the land was being used for other than park purposes, and it was the duty of the Commissioners to protect the interests of the park property.

The following resolution was on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Lloyd unanimously adopted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Superintendent of Public Parks and Squares be and he is hereby instructed to at once clear said public parks and squares of all tents, and thereafter of all other buildings that have been erected therein and are not used exclusively for park purposes;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that those parks and squares in the parts of the city which have not been touched by fire and where the population is now thickest, be first cleared, and the remaining parks and squares thereafter in regular order; and that it

BE FURTHER RESOLVED that the Superintendent of Public Parks and Squares make provision for the temporary erection of houses for those really in need and now occupying tents and buildings upon other public squares than those hereinafter named, upon the following blocks and squares, to wit:-

The tier of Blocks comprising the Golden Gate Park and Presidio parkway on which there is room for - - 3600

Lobos Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 1600

South Park - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 170

Columbia Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 300

Washington Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 200

Playground Block - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 600

Mission Park - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 400

Franklin Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 400

TOTAL 6270

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all the tents and inflammable buildings now on public squares and parks must be removed therefrom within thirty days from this date.

Prof. Steindorf of the Park Band appeared before the Board and was directed by the Board to hold concerts in Golden Gate Park from 2 to 4.30 o'clock on Sundays.

Davis & Klein attorneys for the Automobile Omnibus Van and Transfer Co. requested permission to the Co. to run vans or busses through the Park. Permission was granted with the understanding that the automobile ordinance be observed and that no advertising matter be placed on the vehicles.

Com. Dingee made a motion that Sup't. McLaren be instructed to use force if necessary in removing houses built in the Squares contrary to the wishes and orders of the Board of Park Commissioners, and to at once stop all additional building.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. Cummings that houses built in the parks and squares be allowed to remain temporarily and until provision was made elsewhere for housing the refugees, and that the houses in course of construction be allowed to be completed.

The motion was carried by the following vote.

Ayes Com. Lloyd
" " Cummings
No. " Wm. J. Dingee

The Sup't. was directed to confer with the Police Dept. and request the enforcement of the Automobile ordinance. Chairman Wm. H. Metson was requested to interview the Police Commissioners and endeavor to secure additional police for the Park.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Secty.
Park Commissioners.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office, Friday, October 19, 1906., were present:-

Com. Spreckels, Pres.
" Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings
Absent:-
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

A number of citations having been sent out, Mr. J. A. Lynch, Auto. License #456 and Miss McMillan Auto. License #3323 appeared before the Board and made satisfactory explanations in answer to the charge of non-observance of the automobile ordinance in the park. Mr. G. A. Boyer wrote a communication to the Commissioners in answer to the same charge, stating that his auto number had been lost since the fire of April 18th., and that others had probably been using his license.

The license of the following not answering to the charge made were ordered revoked, #515 Pope Toledo Co., #2687 L. A. Nares, #5302 E. P. Slosson, #6731 Ehrman Bros. Co., #1472 J. J. McEwen, #5017 C. A. Bridge, #2951 Clara Rorig.

Com. Wm. H. Metson was appointed a committee on the matter and was requested to draw up a communication to the California Automobile Club, stating that unless the Club would co-operate with the Commissioners in enforcing the ordinance as it had agreed when the privileges were granted, that the Park Commissioners would revoke the ordinance and withdraw all privileges at present enjoyed by them.

Communication received from Rudolph J. Taussig protesting against his arrest in Golden Gate Park for not obeying the automobile ordinance. Read and ordered filed.

Request received from a committee of the San Francisco Clubs for permission to use the 5/8 mile track in the park for the purpose of holding bicycle races on November 4th. Permission granted providing that no betting be allowed and that no money be given for trophies.

Communication from Frank W. Sawyer, Attorney at Law, in reference to holding concerts in Jefferson Square. Read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Reuben H. Lloyd's office on Friday, November 2, 1906.,

were present

Commissioner Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent,

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Dingee

On motion unanimously carried Com. Wm. H. Metson was selected to preside at the meeting.

Application of Hire's Root Beer Co. to sell its wares in Golden Gate Park was rejected by the Commissioners.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Superintendent for the month of October read and on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out and the necessary repairs to the various buildings completed.

The Superintendent was directed to allow no additional building in the park or squares.

Com. Metson reported that he had conferred with Mr. Schwerin, President of the California Auto. Club in regard to the excessive speed of Automobiles in Golden Gate Park, and presented to the Board the following resolution which was unanimously adopted.

RESOLVED:- That notice be given to the public and particularly to the members of the Automobile Club that on Friday the 16th day of November, 1906., that the Park Commissioners will consider at that time an ordinance excluding automobiles from all parts of Golden Gate Park except the South Drive, and that speed be limited to ten miles an hour.

A vote of thanks was extended to Louis Sloss for his kind donation of the copper for the cap of the Murphy Windmill which was presented through the efforts of Com. Lloyd. It was ordered that a copy of the same be engrossed and sent to Mr. Sloss.

E. P. Slosson proprietor of the Golden Gate Park Garage appeared before the Board and gave a satisfactory explanation to the charge of exceeding the speed limit in Golden Gate Park. The Chauffeur who was responsible for the same was discharged by Mr. Slosson.

Report of Prof. Gruber of the Department of Natural History giving a list of the various additions to his Department was read and ordered filed. A vote of thanks was extended to Prof. Gruber for his kind presentation of 71 fine specimens, 16 bird skins, 52 stuffed birds and 3 stuffed reptiles. An ~~engrossed~~ copy of the vote of thanks was ordered to be engrossed and presented to Professor Gruber.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried, Com. Cummings was authorized from time to time to purchase specimens he deemed advisable for the Dep't. of Natural History.

Sup't. McLaron was directed to secure a list of the names of the refugees in the Park and Squares, where they were from and where now located, and report the same to the Board.

A request was received from the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds for permission to use Bernal Square for housing refugees. The matter was referred to Com. Metson on motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of Com. Lloyd on Friday, Nov. 16th., 1906., those present were Pres. Spreckels, Com. Lloyd and Cummings, absent Com. Metson and Tingee. The Secretary not being present the minutes of the last meeting were not read.

Com. Cummings acted as Secretary protem.

A communication from the City Attorney in regard to the parked portion of Dolores St. was read, and the Secty. was instructed to notify the City Attorney that the Park Commission had received no communication from the Board of Supervisors regarding their action in accepting said grounds as park property.

Communication from Duboce Park Refugees read and ordered filed.

Communication received from Will Frankes, Yermo, Cal., stating that he had two Mountain Sheep for sale at $200. a piece, but owing to lack of funds the offer was rejected.

A request from the Board of Directors of the Olympic Club for permission to use the Stadium on Thursday, Nov. 29th., was granted.

Communication from the Fire Department requesting the Park Commissioners to stop refugees from using hydrants was referred to the Relief Committee.

Communication from Stablemen's Union giving new schedule of salaries. No action taken.

Communication from the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds requesting that the Commanders of Refugee Camps be given authority to eject all undesirable parties from said Camps. Permission granted.

A petition from the San Francisco Horsemen to have the Automobiles restricted to the South Drive was read and filed.

A representative of the Lafayette Square Refugees appeared before the Board with a request that said refugees be allowed to remain in Lafayette Square. Request denied.

There being no further business on motion the meeting was ajourned.

W. F. Cummings
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at Com. Reuben H. Lloyd's office on Friday, Dec. 7, 1906., were present,

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of November was read and ordered filed.

Report of Prof. F. Gruber of Dep't. of Natural History of Park Museum of donations received, read and referred to Com. Cummings for acceptance, and a letter of thanks was ordered sent to the donors.

Request of John Rapp & Son for permission to drive their delivery wagon through the Park - Donied.

Communication from the Mission Park League asking the Commissioners to proceed with the improvement of Mission Park. Read and referred to the Superintendent.

Communication received from the California Automobile Club stating that the Club was co-operating with the Park Commissioners and doing all in its power to assist the Commissioners in enforcing the Automobile ordinance. Acknowledgment of communication ordered and the thanks of the Commission extended to the Club for its efforts.

A committee appeared before the Board from the Adelphian Club of Alameda, offering and suggesting means of securing public subscription for constructing a new and larger Park Museum building, and asking that the Club be allowed to co-operate with the Park Commission in the matter. Referred to Pres. Spreckels to investigate and to consider the best means of proceeding and to report at the next meeting what course to pursue on Motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

No further business the meeting on Motion adjourned.

D. J. Spreckels

Secretary

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office on Saturday, Dec. 22nd., 1906., were present,

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded and carried the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was temporarily dispensed with.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz who had attended the meeting for the purpose of discussing the Refugee matter with the Commission stated that he had made a personal investigation and inspection of the Camps, particularly those located on Park property and found conditions indeed deplorable and such as no civilized city should allow.

Many refugees were still living in tents as they were unable to pay a monthly rental of $4. or $6. per month which was being exacted from each occupant of a cottage by the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Fund Ass'n.

The Park Commissioners while not granting permission or authority had allowed the cottages to be erected on the City Squares purely as a matter of charity and in an attempt to assist in relieving the unfortunate refugees, victims of the late earthquake and fire.

Mayor Schmitz also informed the Board that Refugees who had been given possession of cottages and being unable to pay the rental asked therefor had been evicted in several instances and their effects thrown outside, there to remain exposed to the elements.

As the object of the money subscribed was not to derive a revenue or to create a revolving fund in the hands of the Relief and Red Cross Funds, but to give immediate relief and succor to the needy and helpless. The Mayor recommended to the Commissioners, as he was not in favor of allowing the collection or exaction of rentals for use of the cottages on Park property, that they pass a resolution allowing the cottages to remain until Aug. 17th., 1907., and to prohibit the collection of rent for the same and to co-operate with him in other ways to prevent and correct the abuses being practised by the Relief and Red Cross Funds at the present time.

Chairman James L. Gallagher of the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors also addressed the Board upon the same subject, voicing the sentiments expressed by his honor the Mayor.

The matter was taken under advisement and President Spreckels appointed Commissioners Lloyd and Metson a Committee to confer with the Relief and Red Cross Funds on the matter.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication from Pacific Athletic Ass'n. recommending and asking the Commissioners to change the cinder path from a 5/8 to 1/4 mile track.

On motion of Commissioner Metson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, it was decided to adhere to the original plan.

On motion the meeting adjourned until Saturday, Dec. 29th., at 1 o'clock P. M.

E. J. Fleming
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office on Saturday, Dec. 29th., 1906., were present,

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was on motion dispensed with.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz was present for the purpose of continuing the investigation of the actions of the Relief and Red Cross Funds in regard to the refugees in the Parks and Squares.

Mr. Cushing and Lieutenant Scott appeared at the meeting representing the Relief and Red Cross Funds, and stated that their corporation had offered cottages to refugees in tents, who had not in many instances availed themselves of the opportunity. They admitted that a payment of $6.00 a month was demanded and maintained that it was collected as payment on the purchase of the cottage.

Mayor Schmitz stated that several refugee families had been evicted for failure to pay the $6. a month and this he thought was wrong and objected to it.

Mrs. Ola Clark testified that she and Mrs. McHugh had been evicted from a cottage for failure to pay the $6. a month rent, also Mrs. Martha Tuttle and Mrs. Mary Kelly made the same statement.

His Honor the Mayor was of the opinion that the needy and destitute should not be compelled to pay rent and should not have to wait for a cottage until the $6. was forth coming, and his object in confering with the Park Commission was for the purpose of having the Commission assist him in enforcing the proper distribution of the Relief moneys.

On motion of Com. Metson seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the meeting adjourned until Saturday, January 5th., 1907., at 1 o'clock.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held in Com. Reuben H. Lloyd's office on Friday, Jan. 5, 1907., were present,

Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Spreckels
Com. Dingee

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded and carried, Com. Wm. H. Metson was elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous special meetings of December 22nd and 29th. were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. for month of December was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Request of Mrs Thompson, a refugee to be allowed to remain in shack built in Alta Plaza, read and referred to Sup't. McLaren.

The Sup't. was directed to prepare an estimate of cost of Constructing the reservoir for the new Sam'l. G. Murphy windmill in a suitable location between Strawberry Hill and the Great Highway and report at next meeting.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Com. Wm. H. Metson for his kind donation of a sack of 100 varieties of sweet peas on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

No further business, meeting adjourned.

A regularly called meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at Com. Wm. J. Dingee's office on Friday, Jan. 11th., 1907., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com.
Metson

This meeting being the first of the new year the installing of the new Commissioner and the re-organization of the Board was the first order of business.

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. A. B. Spreckels was elected president Pro. tem. and Herbert L. Schmitz temporary Secretary.

Col. John C. Kirkpatrick presented his appointment from his Honor the Mayor as Park Commissioner, which was received, approved and ordered filed on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried Com. Wm. H. Metson was duly nominated and unanimously elected president of the Board for the ensuing year.

On motion of Com. Wm. J. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the following annual appointments were made,

John McLaren Superintendent
Herbert L. Schmitz Secretary
Miss M. B. Fairman Asst. Secretary

at the same salaries as at present paid.

On motion duly seconded and carried the first and third Wednesday's of each month at 2 o'clock P. M., were selected as the regular meeting days of the Board.

The minutes of the previous meeting of January 5th were read and approved.

Report of the Sup't. for the month of December was read and ordered filed and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

The Sup't. reported to the Board that it would cost $9513. to prepare and grade the ground and construct a new reservoir for the Sam'l. G. Murphy Windmill. On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried Sup't. McLaren was directed to commence the grading of the ground for the new reservoir as soon as the weather would permit the same.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. L. Schmitz
Secy.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Wm. J. Dingee's office on Wednesday, Jan. 23, 1907., were present:-

Com'rs. Spreckels
Dingee
Cummings
Kirkpatrick

Absent:-
Pres. Metson

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. A. B. Spreckels was elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Wednesday, Feb. 6, 1907., at the office of Com. Wm. J. Dingee were present,

Pres. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Spreckels
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for the month of January was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Board of Health requesting the removal as soon as possible of the Central Emergency Hospital maintained at present in Jefferson Square.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried Pres. Metson and Sup't. McLaren were appointed a committee to confer with the Relief and Red Cross Funds and request that an appropriation sufficient to rehabilitate the park and squares, estimated at $174,602., be made by it to the Park Commission. As the damage was occasioned by the occupancy of the squares by the refugees this action was strongly advocated.

Communication received from the State Agricultural Society requesting a donation of trees and shrubs for planting in the Sacramento Race track grounds. Referred to Sup't. McLaren with directions to comply with the request if a surplus of trees asked for was on hand.

Report of the Natural History Department of the Park Museum read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

[illegible] Secretary.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Wednesday, February 27, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent: Com. Spreckels.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. John Tait appeared before the Board requesting that the Cliff House road be widened an additional 20 feet and that automobiles be granted then the privilege of the use of said road. Mr. Tait in behalf of his company guaranteed a donation of $5000. to the Park Fund to assist in doing the necessary work.

Judge Haughton a citizen of San Francisco offered to present to the Park the old Market Street entrance to the Palace Hotel, the same to be erected in some suitable place in Golden Gate Park. On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Cummings with full power to act.

President Metson reported progress on the matter of the application to the Relief and Red Cross Funds for an appropriation to rehabilitate the Park and Squares.

The removal of the Central Emergency Hospital was laid over for two weeks with the understanding that the Board of Health be requested to secure a location for the Hospital elsewhere as soon as possible.

Communication from the Municipal Art Society of New York City asking for suitable exhibits, pictures, maps etc of Golden Gate Park. Referred to Com. Cummings with full power to act, on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

Request of Mission Park Association that arc lights be erected about Mission Park. Read and ordered filed.

Communication received from the Stable Employees Union asking that the wages of the Stablemen employed in Golden Gate Park be fixed at $3.00 per day, the same as paid by other municipal departments and the Stable and Carriage Owner's Association. Request granted on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the St. Francis Hotel requesting a report of the receipts and disbursements from the date of its occupancy of Union Square to date.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Wednesday. Feb. 6, 1907., at the office of Com. Wm. J. Dingee were present,

Pres. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Sprockels
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for the month of January was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Board of Health requesting the removal as soon as possible of the Central Emergency Hospital maintained at present in Jefferson Square.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried Pres. Metson and Sup't. McLaren were appointed a committee to confer with the Relief and Red Cross Funds and request that an appropriation sufficient to rehabilitate the park and squares, estimated at $174,602., be made by it to the Park Commission. As the damage was occasioned by the occupancy of the squares by the refugees this action was strongly advocated.

Communication received from the State Agricultural Society requesting a donation of trees and shrubs for planting in the Sacramento Race track grounds. Referred to Sup't. McLaren with directions to comply with the request if a surplus of trees asked for was on hand.

Report of the Natural History Department of the Park Museum read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

D. J. Johnson
Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was called at Commissioner Dingee's office Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1907:-

On roll call Pres. Metson and Com. Cummings were present, and Com. Sprockels, Dingee and Kirkpatrick were absent.

There being no quorum the meeting adjourned until Saturday, Feb. 23rd., 11 o'clock A. M.

Secretary.

Saturday 2/23 11 A.M.

No quorum.

Secretary.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, March 13, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent, Com. Dingee.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent McLaren for month of February was read and ordered filed and recommendations contained therein ordered carried out, on motion of Com. Spreckels seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Report of Prof. Gruber of Dep't. of Natural History of Museum was read and ordered filed.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Prof. Gruber for his donation to the Park Museum of 30 vols. of "Birds of Europe"

Request received from the New England Forrest, Fish and Game Association of Boston for a few specimens of California Valley Quail.

Granted on motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

A committee from the California Outdoor Art League consisting of Mrs. Lovell White and Mrs Sharon appeared before the Board and asked for permission to store in Golden Gate Park dead trees which were to be cut from streets in the burned district with the object of building from them, a log cabin in some suitable location in Golden Gate Park for the purpose of exhibiting souvenirs of the late great catastrophe.

The matter was laid over for one week in order to give the committee an opportunity of securing plans of the proposed log cabin to be submitted and passed upon by the Board.

A committee of property owners from the vicinity of Dolores and 16th Sts. appeared before the Board asking that the parked portion of Dolores street be replanted and cared for by the Park Commissioners.

In view of the fact that many large and urgent demands for expenditures in rehabilitating the Park and Squares were daily being made upon the diminished and impoverished Park Fund, the Commissioners decided that no additional burdens could be assumed by the Board. Sup't. McLaren was directed however to assist the Committee in every way and to supply the necessary trees, shrubs etc. that could be spared, with the understanding that the property owners would provide the necessary labor and the care-taker.

Wm. Meakin, Agent of the Laborers Protective Union addressed the Board advocating and requesting that laborers in the employ of the Commission be paid $3.00 per day. Communication was also read from the Building Trades Council asking that favorable consideration be given the matter.

On motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the request was taken under advisement.

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Com. John C. Kirkpatrick reported that the Golden Gate Ametuer Driving Association had applied to him for permission to meet in Golden Gate Park in May and at the next meeting a formal request would be made to the Board by the Association.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office, Wednesday, March 20, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent, Com. Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved on motion of Com. Spreckels seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Communication received from Ringling Bros. Circus requesting permission to use a portion of Mission Park at 18th & Dolores Sts. for a period of 4 days between Aug. 18th. and Sept. 15th., 1907., and offering to donate in return for this consideration the sum of $500. to the Park Fund.

At present time that portion of Mission Park asked for is occupied by many refugees and permission was granted conditionally that the houses are moved at that time. As Mr. McCracken, Ringling Bros. Agent would return here in July the matter will be then finally settled.

Request received from the Park Ametuer Driving Club for permission to hold matinee races on the Stadium in Golden Gate Park on May 30th. Granted on motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

Sup't. McLaren reported that the heavy rains had caused a large quantity of rock and earth to fall upon the Cliff House Road from the Cliff above. As a portion of the debris was on that part of the road under the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Works the Superintendent was directed to secure the assistance of that Department in removing the same.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, April 3rd., 1907 were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of March was read and ordered filed, and the recommendations contained therein were ordered carried out.

The Superintendent was directed to secure three or four bids for the necessary painting at the Children's Quarters, and to accept the lowest bid and have the work done.

Request of the California Associated Cyclists for permission to use the Cinder track in the Stadium at Golden Gate Park for a series of amatuer bicycle races 3 o'clock P.M. Sunday, April 28th. Granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

Complaint of cess pool at Mountain Lake Park, referred to Superintendent.

Communication from the Potrero Commercial and Manufacturers Association asking that the low land of Jackson Park be filled to the official grade of the street. The Secretary was directed to reply, stating that arrangements had already been made to have the same done.

The following resolution was introduced, seconded and carried unanimously.

RESOLVED:- That the persons building or proposing to operate the Smelter or Smelting Works at or near South San Francisco in this State, be notified in writing that it is the sense of the Park Commissioners that no noxious or deleterious fumes or gases shall be permitted to be discharged from any source into the air in such a way or manner that any of such noxious or deleterious gases or fumes shall reach or envelope any of the vegetation growing in any Public Park or Square in the City and County of San Francisco, California, and that the Park Commissioners will take legal steps to prevent any of the vegetation growing in any such public park, square or grounds under their jurisdiction being injured or destroyed by any fumes or gases deleterious to plant growth.

The following ordinance was introduced to be acted upon at the following regular meeting of the Board.

(2)

S P E E D W A Y

For Single seated vehicles driven by men only.

Turn to the right and proceed to end

without stopping or turning.

No reckless or disorderly driving permitted.

Vehicles not speeding keep to

outside of track.

ORDINANCE NO. 5.

The Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco hereby adopt the following rules and regulations governing the use of that road in Golden Gate Park commonly known as the "Speedway":-

The Speedway in Golden Gate Park shall be reserved exclusively for single seated vehicles driven by men only. Vehicles entering the Speedway shall turn to the right and proceed to the end of the speedway without turning or stopping. There shall be no speed limit, but no reckless or disorderly driving will be permitted. Vehicles not speeding shall keep to the outside of the track.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

W. L. Schmitz

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was called for Wednesday, April 17th 1907.

No quorum present:-
Meeting postponed to April 24th.

Wednesday, April 24th 1907. A postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners was called for above date.

No quorum present:-

President Wm. H. Metson on account of the immediate and urgent need of hose for the Park, opened the bids which had been received in answer to the advertisement for the same. Following are the bids.

Goodyear Rubber Co.

Gold Seal Brand	1"	22 cents per foot.
	1-1/4"	28 " " "
Badger Brand	1"	18 " " "
	1-1/4"	22 " " "

Certified check $116.

Sterling Rubber Co.

Sphinx Brand	1"	22-1/4 cents per foot
	1-1/4"	27-1/2 " " "
Moose Brand	1"	19 " " "
	1-1/4"	23-1/2 " " "

Certified check $105.

Gutta Percha & Rubber Man'f'g. Co.

	1"	20 cents per foot
	1-1/4"	25-3/4 " "

Certified check $100.

Pacific Coast Rubber Co.

	1"	18-1/2 cents per foot

Certified check $74.

Brittain & Co.

	1"	18 cents per foot
	1-1/4"	23-1/2 " "

No check

Gorham Rubber Company

	1"	20 cents per foot
	1-1/4"	25 " " "

Certified check $105.

Bowers Rubber Company

	1"	15 cents per foot
	1-1/4"	20 " " "

Certified check $80.

Barton, Squires & Byrne

Cazadero Brand	1"	19 cents per foot
Best Grade	1-1/4"	22 " " "
Navato Brand	1"	16 " " "

Check $100.

The Contract was awarded to the Bowers Rubber Co., their bid being the lowest.

T. F. Schmitt
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, May 1st 1907, were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. McLaren for month of April was read and ordered filed and recommendations contained therein ordered carried out, on motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

The speedway ordinance was presented for final passage and was carried unanimously.

The action of Pres. Metson in opening bids and awarding contract for furnishing hose at the previous meeting called for April 24th., at which no quorum was present was approved unanimously.

Communication received from the Selby Smelting and Lead Co., acknowledging receipt of copy of a resolution passed by the Park Commissioners in reference to the smelting works about to be established by their Co. at San Bruno Point, and stating that every precaution would be taken to prevent harm being done to plants or vegetation growing in any of the public parks or squares, by noxious or deleterious gases or fumes emanating from their smelter.

Communication received from Ellwood Cooper, State Commissioner of Horticulture asking that a site be given for the establishment of an Insectory in Golden Gate Park. Granted and the selection of the site referred to Sup't. McLaren with full power to act, on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

A Committee from the Dolores Street Property Owners appeared before the Board stating that they had arranged to have the parked portions of Dolores Street cared for by a gardener and requested that the Park Commissioners furnish them with the necessary water for irrigation.

On motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried it was decided that the Commissioners would furnish the water asked for, but not to exceed the amount of $30. per month.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office onnWednesday, May 15, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Spreckels
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication received from the Olympic Club asking permission to hold a field day at the Stadium in Golden Gate Park on July 4, 1907. Granted on motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

Communication received from the Visitacion Valley Improvement Club strongly commending the Board for its action taken in reference to the proposed establishment of a smelter at Point San Bruno. Read and ordered filed.

Communication received from the Automobile Dealers Association of California reporting on the large number of Automobiles using the driveways of Golden Gate Park and requesting and petitioning the Board that the present restrictions relating to Automobiles in the Park be removed and that they be accorded the same rights and privileges as given to horse drawn vehicles.

Requests denied on motion duly seconded and unanimously carried as the Commissioners were of the opinion that the Automobilists were at present given all the rights and privileges that safely could be granted.

In answer to the advertisement for placing sidewalk lights and repairing the balcony about the Children's Quarters, the following bids were received.

P. H. Jackson, $1346. Check $134.
John McGuigan $1125. " 125.

On motion of Commissioner Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the contract was awarded to J. McGuigan, being the lowest bidder, with the understanding that the work be completed by July 1st., 1907.

It was resolved by the Board of Park Commissioners that all law breakers found occupying houses or other places of abode in the public squares or parks be removed as soon as any objectionable or unlawful act be committed. Complaint had been received that a red flag had been placed over one of the houses in Jefferson Square and the occupant of the house complained of was ordered removed immediately. The Superintendent was directed to carry out the order of removal and to notify the Relief Committee of the action taken.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, June 5, 1907., were present:-

Commissioner Spreckels
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Metson
Com. Kirkpatrick

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. Wm. J. Dingee was selected to act as temporary President.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of May read, approved and ordered filed, and suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Petition received from property owners and residents in vicinity of Garfield Square asking that permit be not extended or renewed for Spring Valley Water Co. to maintain a pumping station in the Square.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Secretary was directed to communicate with the Spring Valley Water Co., notifying it that the Park Commissioners would not renew the permit for the pumping station in Garfield Square.

Offer received from the First Regiment N. G. California to present to the Museum an old brass cannon from the Philippine Islands. Accepted with thanks on motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded by Com. Spreckels and carried.

Permission was granted to the Park Amatuer Driving Club to hold matinee races in the Stadium on July 4, 1907.

Communication received from the California Automobile Club endorsing the application of the Automobile Dealers Association. Read and ordered filed.

Communication received from Home Protective Association asking the Board to co-operate with it in opposing the establishment of a smelter at Point San Bruno. Read and ordered filed.

Request received from C. H. McKinstry, Major - Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army for a small tract of land on the Ocean beach to use in connection with the fire control system for the defense of San Francisco harbor. Read and ordered filed and the secretary directed to secure additional information about the matter.

A committee from the refugees of Portsmouth Square appeared before the Board asking permission to remain in the Square for another year. Request denied as Commissioners had decided not to grant an extension of time to any of the occupants of the Public Squares on mtion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

F. J. Johnson
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Wednesday, June 19th 1907., at Commissioner Dingee's office were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Wm. J. Dingee
" M. Earl Cummings.

Absent:-
Com. A. B. Spreckels
" John C. Kirkpatrick

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Capt. Payson and Engineer Herman Schussler of the Spring Valley Water Co., appeared before the Board asking for additional time to remove the Company's pumping plant from Garfield Square, claiming that the plant was an absolute necessity in furnishing fire protection to the Western Addition. Pres. Wm. H. Metson called the attention of the water Co's. representatives to the fact that when permission was given to place the pumps in the Square it was done as an emergency case and it was at that time fully understood that it was entirely a temporary affair not to remain longer than a period of one year and to be removed on notice from the Park Commission.

Capt. Payson and Eng. Schussler stated that if they were compelled to move the plant at once they did not want to assume the responsibility in case of a great conflagration, on account of lack of water. The Park Commissioners decided to take the matter under advisement and in the meantime to make a personal investigation and to act upon the same as soon as possible. The Commissioners were of the unanimous opinion that no permanent encroachments should be allowed on the Park property under their jurisdiction.

Communication received from the United Railroads of San Francisco asking that the rate per cubic yard for hauling street sweepings to Golden Gate Park be increased from 30 cents to 40 cents. Mr. B. P. Legare, Eng. of Maintenance of Way of the Co., appeared before the Board and stated that the old rate of 30 cents was not sufficiently remunerative for the Co. to continue the service. He was informed that the Park Commissioners in future would allow but 20 cents per cu yd. and that if any thing additional to that amount was asked or demanded that the balance of 20 cents should be paid by the Board of Public Works, as that Department of the Municipal Government was the one that was being directly benefited by the service.

Mr. Legare stated that he would consult with the Dept. of Public Works and advise the Park Commissioners what action was to be taken.

A bill was received from Paul Armitage for $68.00 for services rendered as referee at four sessions and a report of the proceedings in the Walter bequests to the Park Museum. The same was ordered paid by demand on the Treasury, on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Communication received from refugees at Hamilton Square asking permission to remain another Season in said square. Read and ordered filed.

Protest received from E. Fairweather against refugees remaining longer in Columbia Square. Read and ordered filed.

Complaint received from Dr. Finst of the obnoxious dumping of all refuse from the houses fronting along the Ocean Boulevard. The matter was referred to the Sup't.

Request received from the Webster Athletic Club for permission to hold field games in the Stadium in Golden Gate Park on July 4th. Granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, July 3, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Wm. J. Dingee
" M. Earl Cummings

Absent:-
Com. A. B. Spreckels
" John C. Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of June read and ordered filed, and suggestion contained therein ordered carried out on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Pres. Wm. H. Metson reported that he, Com. Dingee and Sup't. McLaren and a competent engineer had under investigation with Capt. Payson and Herman Schussler of the Water Company, the necessity of the pumping plant located in Garfield Square. Pres. Metson stated that the enforcement of the removal of the plant was dependent upon the necessary fire protection to that portion of the City alledged to be covered by said pumps. Report of the consulting engineer will be made at next meeting.

President Metson reported that a committee of the Relief and Red Cross Funds had conferred with him on the matter of the removal of the refugees from the public parks and squares and it was agreed that the Relief and Red Cross Funds would undertake the removal of all occupants in the parks and squares according to their representation of last year.

Communication received from F. W. Gale, Secretary San Francisco Church Federation complaining of the immorality practiced in some of the refugee camps located in the public squares. Read and a copy of the complaint ordered sent to the Relief and Red Cross Funds, and the Secretary was directed to answer the communication requesting more definite information and details of the matter.

The Secretary was directed to send a list of the foremen in Golden Gate Park to the Chief of Police and request that they be made special police for the Park.

A copy of all communications received in reference to the refugees ordered sent to the Relief and Red Cross Funds.

An engrossed letter of thanks was ordered prepared and sent to Mr. Frederick A. Robbins for his kind donation to the Park Museum of two large handsome bronze lanterns made at Osaka, Japan, on motion of Commissioner Cummings duly seconded by Commissioner Dingee and carried.

Sup't. McLaren was directed to prepare the bicycle rest at the Ocean Beach as a resort for the reception and entertainment of ladies and children to be conducted on the same plan as the Children's Quarter on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

W. H. Schmitz
Secretary.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, July 24, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Wm. J. Dingee
" M. Earl Cummings

Absent:-
Com. A. B. Spreckels
" John C. Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Petition of the refugees of Columbia Square to be allowed to remain another year read and ordered filed.

Request of Ignation Council #35 Y. M. I. for permission to hold a field day at the Golden Gate Park Stadium granted on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Petition of G. A Lane that refugees in the public squares be allowed to remain for 6 months longer ordered filed.

Communication received from the San Francisco Labor Council asking permission to hold the Labor Day celebration at the Stadium in Golden Gate Park. Granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

Communication received from the United Railroads complaining of an accumulation of water from the windmill on their tracks on 49th Ave., and asking the Park Commissioners to provide means of carrying off the same. The attention of the Railroad Company was called to their agreement to care for its track and the ground between the same at its own expense when the franchaise was granted.

Superintendent McLaren was authorized and directed to visit some of the hay growing sections of the State and secure bids for supplying first class hay to the Park for the ensuing year, as that supplied the Park the past year was inferior.

The Superintendent was directed on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried to widen grade and macadamize the Great Highway 20 feet from H. to L. St.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

J. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

Regular meeting

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, Aug. 5, 1907., were present:

Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Kirkpatrick

No quorum present but on account of the necessity of awarding contracts for the various articles required in the Park, the bids received in answer to the advertisement for the same were opened and awarded by Commissioners' Dingee and Cummings, their action in the matter to be approved at the next regular meeting of the Board.
Following were the bids and awards:-

Fuel Oil.

Standard Oil Co.
$1.20 per BBl. Delivered at Beach $1.30 per Bbl.

White Lead - Linseed Oil

R. N. Nason & Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-1/4 cents per lb.
5 bbls Linseed Oil 49 cents per Gal.

W. P. Fuller & Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-1/5 cents per lb.
5 bbls Linseed Oil 51 cents per Gal.

Klatt-Hersch Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-1/4 cents per lb
5 bbls. Linseed oil 50 cents per Gal.

Western Paint Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-3/10 cents per lb
5 bbls Linseed Oil 51 cents per Gal.

Coal.

Thos. Morton & Son
50 tons Pennsylvania Egg Coal $16.75 per ton
20 " Wellington 13.25
20 " Richmond 12.90

Pipe.

Baker & Hamilton
1,000 ft. 1-1/4" Galv. Pipe $11.00 per 100 feet
2,000 " 1-1/2" " " 13.15 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson
1,000 ft 1-1/4" " " 11.25 " " "
2,000 " 1-1/2 " " 13.25 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

Dalziel-Moller Co.
1,000 ft 1-1/4" " " 11.00 " " "
2,000 " 1-1/2" " " 13.25 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.
1,000 ft 1-1/4" " " 11.00 " " "
2,000 " 1-1/2" " " 13.15 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

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Painting Beach Chalet.

W. Gerkle - - - - - - - - - -	$725.00
Eaton - - - - - - - - - -	700.00
G..Orsi - - - - - - - - - -	685.00
P. L. Hoiland & Co. - - - - - -	700.00

Lumber.

Olsen-Mahony Lumber Co.

Rough Pine - - - - - -	$24.00 per M.
Selected " - - - - - -	30.00 " "
Rough Redwood - - - - - -	27.00 " "
Selected " - - - - - -	42.00 " "

Surfacing 1 side $2., 2 sides $4., 3 sides $5., 4 sides $6.

Teas and Coffee.

S. C. Thomson

Tea, black, green and Japan	47-1/2 cents per lb.
Coffee, best Java	22-1/2 " " "

Jas. A. Snook & Co.

Best Quality White Flour	$5.75 per bbl.
300 lbs cube sugar	6-1/2 cents per lb
300 " dry Granulated sugar	5.95 per bbl.
90 lbs Powdered sugar	7-1/2 cents per lb
2,000 lbs coffee, best Java	27 cents per lb
300 lbs. tea, black, Japan	44 cents per lb.
2,000 lbs best quality white lead	9-1/2 cents per lb.
5 bbls. linseed oil	70 cents per Gal.
2,000 sks rolled barley	$31.90 per ton
1,200 " Oats, best quality	1.78 per cwt.
200 " Bran, best "	25.40 per ton

Leege & Haskins

Peerless ground coffee	27-1/2 cents per lb.
Menado coffee	25 " "
English Breakfast tea	35 " "
Uncolored Japan tea	35 " "

Hay and Grain

W. A. Miller & Co.

Wheat Hay	$25.50 a ton
Oat "	22.50 "
Rolled Barley	31.25 "
Bran	22.50 "

Scott & Magner

Wheat hay	24.75 "
Red Oat hay	21.50 "
Wild Oat hay	19.40 "
#1 Rolled barley	31.00 "
Bran	21.75 "
Feed oats	1.75 per cwt.

J. L. Vermeil

125 tons best Wheat hay	$22.75 a ton
125 " white oat hay	22.75 "
125 " red oat hay	21.00 "
125 " wild oat hay	19.00 "
2,000 sks rolled barley	29.90 "
1,200 " best grade white oats	34.40 "
200 " " quality bran	21.25 "

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Somers & Co.

Wheat hay	$24.48 a ton
Oat hay	21.40 "
Rolled barley	30.00 "
Bran	23.50 "
Red and Gray oats	1.78 cwt.

Lathrope Hay Co.

50 tons	#1 best wheat hay	$22.00	a ton
250. "	#1 White oat hay	21.00	"
250 "	#1 Red oat hay	19.00	"
200 "	#1 Red & White oat hay	17.50	Ton
250 "	#1 Volunteer wild oat	15.00	"

No awards made for hay and grain, prices considered too high.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was called for Wednesday, August 19, 1907.

No quorum.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was called for Wednesday, September 4, 1907, at the office of Commissioner Wm. J. Dingee.

Were present:-

Com. Dingee
" Kirkpatrick

Absent::

Com. Wm. H. Metson, Pres.
" A. B. Spreckels
" M. Earl Cummings

No quorum, meeting postponed to Thursday, September 5, 1907.

Thursday, Sept. 5, 1907., 3 o'clock P. M., the postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners was held in Commissioner Dingee's office, were present:-

Com. Dingee
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent:-
Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. A. B. Spreckels

Commissioner John C. Kirkpatrick was, on motion, duly seconded and carried elected to preside at the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The action of Com's Dingee and Cummings in opening and awarding the contracts for the year at the previous meeting was approved.

Report of the Superintendent for month of August was read and the suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Communication received from Wm. H. Crocker, President Executive Committee, California Academy of Sciences, asking permission to erect a suitable temporary museum building in Golden Gate Park for the collections and library of the Academy.

The request was taken under consideration and the Executive Committee of the Academy was invited to attend the next meeting to discuss the proposition with the Board.

Request of Major McKinstry for a small tract of land on the Ocean Boulevard for use of the United States Army read and ordered filed. The Secretary was directed to reply and state that a site would be agreed upon which would be satisfactory to the Army and the Park Commissioners.

Report of Police Captain Henry Gleeson of arrests made in Golden Gate Park, Read and ordered filed.

Request of the Park Driving Club for permission to use the track in the Stadium on September 9th., 14th., 21st., 28th., and Oct. 6th.. and exclusive use of the sheds for those dates. Granted and referred to Supt. McLaren to arrange details on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Sept. 5, 1907.

Refugees. Communication received from Alva Udell representing the United Ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Com. Dingee's office on Wednesday, Sept 18, 1907.

Were present:-

Com. Wm. H. Metson, Pres.
" M. Earl Cummings
" John C. Kirkpatrick

Absent::

Com. Spreckels
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Wm. H. Crocker and A. J. Molera appeared before the board as a committee from the Academy of Sciences and requested permission to erect a temporary building in Golden Gate Park for the purpose of storing and exhibiting the library and museum of the Academy of Sciences.

Permission was granted with the understanding that the plans for the building were to be submitted to the Park Commissioners and built under the supervision of Com. Cummings and Supt. McLaren on motion duly seconded and unanimously carried.

Communication received from Jas. D. Phelan asking that permission be given to place a statue of Padre Junipero Serra at the entrance to Concert Valley in Golden Gate Park.

Commissioner Cummings reported in favor of the site and made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that the desired permission be granted.

Request received from the Bay City Wheelmen and associate clubs that they be granted the privilege of holding the Western Cycling Championship of America meet in the Stadium at Golden Gate Park.

There was no objection to the request and the desired permission was granted provided that no admission fee be charged, on motion duly seconded and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secty.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held in Com. Wm. J. Dingee's office on Wednesday October 2nd, 1907.

were present

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

absent

Com. Spreckels
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Superintendent for month of September read and ordered filed and suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Communication received from the Streets, Sewers and Parks committee of the Board of Supervisors requesting the Park Commissioners to permit material teams and heavy vehicle traffic the use of the South Drive during certain hours of the day.

Discussed by the Commissioners and unanimously denied.

Communication received from Robert R. Russ asking that Columbia Square be cleared of refugee houses and the Square restored.

The Secretary was directed to reply and to state that the work of the rehabilitation of the Squares throughout the city was going on as fast as possible and that Columbia Square would be restored without unnecessary delay.

Communication received from a Seattle Park Improvent Association asking the opinion of the Commissioners as to the advisability of constructing a commercial roadway through Park at Seattle.

Referred for reply to Sup't McLaren.

A committee from the residents of Oceanside and Carville district asking that the privilege of using the South Drive, from 19th Ave to the Beach, be allowed a scavenger wagon at a time to be fixed by the Commissioners

Request denied on motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

Mr. Wheeler a property owner appeared before the Board and requested that toilets for the accommodation of the pulbic be built in Jefferson Sq.

Referred to Sup't McLaren.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

W. H. Schmitz
Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Wm. J. Dingee's office on Wednesday October 16th 1907.

were present.

Pres. Wm H. Metson.

Com. Wm J. Dingee.

Com M. E. Cummings.

absent

Com. A. B. Spreckels

Com. John C. Kirkpatrick.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

Communication received ftom the Hospital and Health Committee of the Board of Supervisors stating that at 49th Ave. between I and J. streets an unhealthy stagnant pool was located and requested the assistance of the Park Commissioners in filling up the same.

Request denied as the Board had no jurisdiction in the matter.

Request of Louis J. Borie of 2751 Clay street, for permission to run a thin iron wire from his residence to an electric pole in Alta Plaza for the purpose of expermenting in wireless telegraphy.

Referred to Sup't Mc Laren. Permission to be granted if wire is not unsightly.

Communication received from Dr. W.Ophuls, President Board of Health complaining ofthe large number of rats in Golden Gate Park and asking the Commissioners to make an effort to destroy them.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Superintendent was directed to earnestly endeavor to rid the Park of the rats and was authorized to expend the sum of $1000 in accomplishing it.

Dr. J.L. Howard, Physician in charge of 9th. Plague District asked permission to occupy the cottage at present in Mission Park as headquarters for that district.

Permission granted with the understanding that it should be temporary and the occupancy not extend over a period of a couple of months.

Communication received from M.J. Lyons architect for the Coliseum Co owners of the block of land bounded by 11th and 12th Ave. Fulton and C. Streets. asking that an arrangement be made whereby the Park Boulevard extending by their property be graded and an excess of sand upon the Park property be used to fill that portion of the Coliseum property which is below grade.

Referred to Supt. McLaren.

Permission asked by the San Francisco Driving Club to use the tract at the Stadium on Sunday October 20th 1907 for the purpose of holding six races for cups.

Permission granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried unanimously it was decided that the Museum be opened to the public immediately and that portion of the building being repaired be rushed to completion.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and unanimously carried it was decided that all structures at present maintained in Union Square be removed therefrom within 60 days and that all occupants be given that period of time to vacate.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the St Francis Hotel Co, the California Promotion Committee and all other occupants of said Union Square and inform them of the action taken by the Board and request their removal on or before December 16 - 1907.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmont Hotel, Monday, November 17th 1907.

were present:

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Cummings

absent:

Com A. B. Spreckels.

President Wm. H. Metson reported to the Board that a committee from the Board of Supervisors had visited him and asked permission for the Criminal Courts to occupy Union Square.

The application was considered and fully discussed by the Commissioners and in view of the fact of the urgent desire of the Commissioners to rehabilitale the squares of the city and that the city charter provided that Park property could be used for Park Pleasure purposes only, it was decided that no privilege to occupy building for courts could be granted and the application for the same was on motion, duly seconded, unanimously denied.

Com. Kirkpatrick and Supt Mc Laren were appointed a committee to inspect the St. Francis building and report at next meeting.

The application of the Home Telephone Co. for permission to lay conduits in Jefferson and Lafayette Square was granted, the Telephone Co. to deposit $1000.00 at the office of the Park Commissioners as a guarantee for the proper restoration of the ground disturbed by them in their work. Following are the conditions upon which the permission was granted:

The work must be done under the supervision of Superintendent Jno. McLaren and the conduits such as he approves of.

It must be done in the most expeditious manner possible.

Before the work is commenced One Thousand Dollars must be deposited with Sup't Jno. McLaren to be kept or used by him in said work or for damages caused in doing the same until said work is completed according to his instructions, Then the balance if any is to be returned by him.

Said license shall be revoked at any time upon thirty days notice and all of said conduits shall be removed at the expense of said Home Telephone Company.

Supt McLaren was authorized to purchase such sheep as he required.
Meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz Secretary.

Special meeting.

A special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmont Hotel, Thursday, November 27th 1907.

were present:

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

absent:

Com. Spreckels.

Reuben H. Lloyd presented his certificate of appointment as Park Commissioner for the unexpired term of Wm. J. Dingee. On motion duly seconded and carried the same was ordered received filed and spread in full upon the minutes of the meeting.

OFFICE OF THE THE MAYOR OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF
SAN FRANCISCO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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I, EDWARD ROBESON TAYLOR, as Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, by virtue of the authority in me vested under the Charter of said City and County, do by these presents appoint R E U B E N H. L L O Y D , a Park Commissioner and a member of the Board of Park Commissioners in and for the City and County of San Francisco, to fill for the unexpired term the vacancy in the Board of Park Commissioners, created by the resignation of WILLIAM J. DINGEE, he to hold said Office for the remainder of the unexpired term of said William J. Dingee, resigned.

IT WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City and County of San Francisco to be affixed in dulicate, this 18th day of November, 1907.

Edward Robeson Taylor,

As Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

Attest:

Harry G. McKannay,

Secretary.

In reference to the St. Francis Hotel building in Union Square Com. Lloyd stated that it was his opinion the structure could be taken down and removed to Golden Gate Park and used for various purposes particulary for a meeting room, bath houses and dressing rooms at the Stadium for the

athletes participating in the events held there and as the Hotel company had offered to give the building to the Park Commissioners he advised, accepting it. After a lengthy discussion of the matter it was referred to an additional committee, consisting of Pres. Metson and Com. Lloyd, who were requested to secure bids for the removal, and report.

The application, of a committee of the Board of Supervisors, for permission for the criminal courts to occupy the hotel building in Union Square was again brought before the Board and the permission was denied, the Commissioners being unanimously of the opinion that Union Square should be at once cleared of all buildings and rehabilitated.

Petition received from the St. Ignatius Church and College and property owners in the vicinity asking that a foot path across the Panhandle at Shrader Street be constructed from Fell to Oak Street.

On motion duly deconded and carried the Secretary was directed to reply to the petitioners stating that the matter would receive the attention of the Board.

Golden Gate Park for many months past has suffered for lack of Police protection and it was the opinion of the Commissioners that more patrolman were positively needed. In an effort to secure them Com. Reuben H. Lloyd was appointed a Committee to interview the Chief of Police.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

Meeting.

A postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmont Hotel on Wednesday, December 11th 1907.

were present:

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Lloyd.

absent:

A. B. Spreckels.

Minutes of previous meeting were read amended and approved.

Mrs. A. P. Woodward appeared before the Board as a committee from the California Outdoor Art League and filed a communication from that organization asking that the Convenience Stations in Washington and Union Square be repaired and opened to the public.

Referred to Superintendent McLaren.

Commissioner John C. Kirkpatrick as committee on the disposal of the St. Francis Hotel Building in Union Square after investigating the matter stated that it was his opinion that the Commissioners could not remove it to advantage and without loss, and advised that the structure be not accepted from the St. Francis Hotel Co.

Report received and Committee discharged.

Supt McLaren reported on the same building to this effect.

An offer had been made to purchase the building from the Commissioners for $650.00.

A bid had been received to wreck and remove the building to the Park for $5800.00.

Another bid received to wreck and stack lumber on the ground $ 4.00 per M.

Building estimated to comtain 150000 feet of lumber of which 100000 can be saved.

Salvage that Park Commissioners could dispose of, having no particular use for, 18 bath tubs$12.00 to $ 15.00 a piece. 100 surplus doors and 100 surplus windows. Surperintendent Mc Laren reported that he could wreck and remove the building to the park for $ 1000.00

After considerable discussion for and against the proposition it was finally decided to attempt the work at the estimated cost of the Superintendent.

(2)

Petition received from James Cairns Proprietor of the Cairns Hotel for automobiles to be allowed to pass from the Main drive into 36th Ave

Privilege denied as it was the opinion of the Commissioners upon the report given by the Superintendent that the road was not sufficiently wide to permit the passage of automobiles and it was impracticable to widen the road at present.

Communications received from S. B. Livingston, Attorney, New York in reference to the case of Walter vs Walter,

Read and ordered filed.

Also official notice received in reference to the above from the Surrogate's Court of New York, that a tax or assessment of $4087.50 had been levied on the bequest.

Referred to Attorney Livingston for action in the matter.

Report of the Curator of the Museum, of loans, gifts and exchange s since April, 1906., referred to Com. Cummings.

Commissioner Lloyd made a motion which was duly seconded and carried unanimously that the Curator be directed to report at once to the Chairman of the Museum Committee, the Board to be later advised of all articles offered to the Museum as a sale, gift or exchange, the name and residence of the party offering same and whether the offer was accepted or rejected.

The Superintendent was directed to at once open Washington Square and the convenience station therein to the public.

Com. Lloyd complained of the abrupt ending of the Great Highway, at its southerly point, He suggested in order to provide better facilities for turning that a loop be constructed there. The Superintendent estimated the cost at $500 or $600.00, and on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded it was unanimously decided to begin the work at once.

Com. Lloyd reported that great crowds of people made use of the tennis courts and that some of them were in the habit of breaking open the lockers when they had for-gotten their keys. To prevent this, on the part of these negligent persons, having the lockers changed and about 200 added. The matter was referred to the Superintendent to devise some plan to avoid the breakage and report at next meeting.

(3)

Com. Lloyd stated that his attention had been called to the fact that persons, on account of the arrangement of the cashier's desk at the Children's Quarters, had taken advantage and walked out without paying for their orders.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Kirkpatrick.

The Superintendent was directed to dispose of all surplus doors and windows, etc., from the St. Francis Hotel building in Union Square.

Meeting adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz

Secretary.

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmount Hotel on Wednesday [illegible]

Present Pres W. H. Metson
Com. Col. J. C. Kirkpatrick
" Reuben H Lloyd
" E. M. Cummings
" Jas D. Phelan

The Board of Park Commissioners organized b y the presence of Col. J. C. Kirkpatrick, Reuben H. Lloyd, Mr. Cummings, W. H. Metson,and at this time the resignation of Herbert L Schmitz as Secretary of the Park Commissioners was handed in, and upon motion of Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Kirkp atrick, the said resignation was accepted. The com ission of James D. phelan as Park Commissioner, dated the 6th day of January, 1908, signed by Mayor E. R+ Taylor was presented and filed on the 7th day of January, 1908 in the office of the Auditor's Office of the City and County of San Francisco.

Upon motion, duly made ad seconded the said commission was spread upon the minutes of the park board, and at this time the commission of Reuben H. Lloyd, to fill ~~an unexpired term~~ a full term, dated the 6th day of January, 1908, signed by Mayor E. R. Taylor, and filed in the office of the Auditor's Office, January, 6th, 1908,was presented and upon motion unanimously carried by the board and spr ad upon the minutes of the meeting. These two commissions will be herea"ter returned to the two gentlemen named respectively.

Moved and seconded and unanimously carried that Metson act as President.

Nomination and election of Secretary. Frederick A. Healy nominated and elected unanimously. Ordered by the Secretary [illegible]

(2)

Ordered by resolution heretofore passed that the salary of the Secretary be fixed at $175.00 per month during the pleasure of the Board.

On motion of Lloyd, duly seconded John McLaren was nominated and elected as Superintendent. Unanimously carried. Salary as heretofore.

Miss M B Fairman be continued as bookkeeper at salary of $125. per month. Unanimously carried.

Communication from Mrs Woodward in regard to convenience stations in Union and Washington Squares. Phelan to see Board of Supervisors to see if they will furnish gas and electricity ofor the lavatories. Goes over until next meeting.

Report of Supt. McLaren read and on motion and unanimously carried ~~adopted~~ accepted and filed and all recommendations therein adopted with the exception of the Beach Chalet and that it be referred to the Supt. for further investigation and report.

Bill of Fulton Iron Works, balance due on windmill $200.. Moved and seconded and unanimously carried that the account be allowed and paid.

Report of Curator read. Moved and seconded that a letter of thanks be sent to Mr. Bole, of the Signal Transfer Company, and an engrossed copy to Raphael Weill. Report from Curator received and placed on file and a vote of thanks sent to the donors and written in the minutes as being unanimous.

Monthly report of natural history department of museum received and filed and recommendations adopted and thanks sent to the donors.

Lloyd suggests that Chain of Lakes be opened to automobiles; also Spreckels lake and museum. An ordinance to be drafted by Metson, submitted to Lloyd and reported at next meeting.

The recommendation of Kirkpatrick in regard to the playground is that the system be changed and the waitresses be obliged to pay for the viands as they get them. Unanimously carried.

Phelan moved that the Secretary be required to give bonds as provided by the Charter, and if no provision appear in the charter, then he be required to give a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Cummings moved that the lights in the museum be repaired. Amended that the specifications be submitted to the Underwriters of the city and county of San Francisco and approved by them and the repairs be made at once.

Lloyd moved that the President look into the matter of the insurance on the two pictures in the Spooner collection and if necessary have them re-insured.

Lloyd moved that the Superintendent be requested to have the United Railroads put the stations along the Beach line in good condition according to the contract. Unanimously carried.

Moved and seconded that the Francis Scott Key monument be moved to a place selected by Lloyd, Phelan and Cummings and the work be done at once. Unanimously carried.

Lloyd reports meeting the Board and Supervisors and their acceptance of ~~his~~ The Board's selection of grounds for parks. Metson spokesman.

Lloyd moved adjournment, with nest meeting at the Park Lodge at the call of the President.

J. A. Lyons

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Park Lodge on Wednesday January twenty-second nineteen hundred and Eight

Pres H. C. Nelson
Com. M. Earl Cummings
" Ruben H. Lloyd
" Leo A. [illegible]
Otherwise Com. [illegible]

Minutes of previous meeting were read, amended and approved on motion of Com. Ruben H. Lloyd, seconded by Com. M. Earl Cummings

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously ordered that the commission of Ruben H. Lloyd, spread upon minutes of previous meeting, be corrected & read, appointed for full term instead of to fill unexpired term.

Upon motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings, it was unanimously ordered that when a communication from Commissioner appears on the minutes of this Board, it be presented in its proper title

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Nelson it was moved that an ordinance be enacted prohibiting all vehicles, automobiles and horsemen to travel in one direction on the Grand Heigh Way - to wit, entering from the northern end at a point opposite the N. St. Louis and leaving at the southerly end of the road.

This motion was amended by Com Cummings by the addition of a provision opening the road to automobiles from sunrise to one half hour after sunset, but forbidding automobiles to run thereon between those

It was ... decided by The Board to continue the matter of The Beach Chalet ... in ... meeting

Commissioner Lloyd reported that the bill of the ... Fallon Iron Works, ... and passed by the Board had been paid by check out of the Murphy ...

Suggestion that road ... Chain of Lakes and Museum Road be opened ... automobiles ... for further action

Recommendation of Com. Kirkpatrick ... walkways at Children's Play Ground, ... minutes of preceding meeting, laid over ... to Com Kirkp...

Moved by Com. Lloyd and seconded by Com Cummings that the ... from the Secretary's Fund, issued by the ... Fidelity & Bonding Company of Maryland, ... by Pres. Nelson, be paid by the Board of Commrs ... It was ordered that said ... the Auditor

On Motion of Com Phelan, seconded by Com Cummings it was ... agreed that no action be taken on proposals of Standard Electrical Construction ... electrical repairs on Museum ... the present ... was ordered the Supt. McLaren, acting in conjunction with Com. Cummings ... expert to give ... on each ... such repairs ... be again considered

The Secretary was ordered ... keep up insurance ... policies for ... Collection

On Motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings it was ... unanimously agreed and ordered that ... Supt McLaren change ... Beach Station from ... situation fronting on the ocean to ...

7. Key Monument

The matter of the Francis Key Monument was unanimously set over for next meeting.

Concerning reduction of Park Rent

Mr. Cook, representing "The Park News," appeared before the Board and urging hard times, asked for a reduction of his monthly payments On motion of Com Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously decided to reduce the payments $5.62½ for the months of January and February, on condition that the regular amount shall be paid in full when or before due during all the other months of the Contract

Street Sweeping

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com Cummings it was unanimously ordered that Superintendent McClean be ordered to confer with the Board of Public Works and see if the Board of Public Works cannot not resume the practice in force before the fire of delivering to the Park, clean street sweepings @ 35¢ per cubic yard Com Lloyd stated that $4.00 per cart was too dear and that the street sweepings were necessary for the proper upkeep of the park.

Building over Park

It was moved by Com Lloyd and seconded by Com Cummings that Supt McClean get plans and cost of building west of Spencers Lake Unanimously carried and so ordered

Vote of Thanks

It was moved by Com. Lloyd and seconded by Com Cummings that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Unger for his gift of cannon for Francis Key Monument Unanimously carried

Music Band

Com. Lloyd suggested that people not getting down be compelled to keep moving and space clear between spectators and band stand. Also that board fence not be provided for seats. Went over until next meeting.

Secretary, on motion of Mr. Lloyd be ordered to check
Secretary up bills, receipts goods and all other matters
re Play Grounds pertaining to Childrens Play Ground and stable licensed
and Stable by Mr. Cummings and maintained by the
Commissioners Skating Union Work &c. Over to next meeting
Letter On motion of Com Pelan, seconded by Com Lloyd
to Mr. Weil it was unanimously decided by the Park Commissioners
of Mayor. That a notification be sent to Mr. Weil, of the
Com re Mayor's Committee for the Fleet
Fleet, That the Park Commissioners to supply such
guns and other floral decorations as may be
needed for decorating for purposes connected with
said Co . There being no further business, the meeting adjourned

H. A. Reed
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held February 5th 1908, at the Fairmont Hotel

Were present: Pres. Metson
Com. Cummings
Com. Lloyd
Com. Phelan
Absent Com. Kirkpatrick

The following business was transacted
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved after being corrected as follows "Upper portion" in the Great Highway, to read "most westerly and elevated portion". "Square yard" in the portion devoted to street sweepings to read "Cubic yard"

The secretary then asked permission to speak and brought to the notice of the Board the confusion which had arisen through the Auditors action in refusing to return pay warrants without a written order for each one. Com. Phelan was appointed by the Chair to confer with the Auditor and straighten [illegible]

The next order of business was the reading of various communications. The report of Supt. McLaren was read, adopted and ordered filed. All suggestions contained therein were ordered carried.
The report of Curator John W. Rogers was read, adopted and ordered filed. Letters of acknowledgment were directed sent to the following thanking them for their donations
Milton U. Nathan - 787 Mkt St
Mrs. Joseph Kirk - 1412 Pine St
An enameled Tuscan hanging lamp offered for sale by L. Martinelli and some ewers offered for sale by Jacob MacGregor were [illegible]
An engraved letter [illegible] was ordered sent to [illegible]

time for the presentation to the Museum of a beautiful collection of Japanese wood carvings.

San Mateo matter

A communication from the Home Protective Association of San Mateo, was next read & called the Board's attention to a proposed ordinance by the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo Co. relative to the erection and conduct of a smelter at Baden. The letter asked for the co-operation of the San Francisco Board of Park Commissioners in an appeal to prevent the erection and operation of said smelter at that point. As the matter had come before the Board, at a previous meeting it was decided to approve the Board's former action & committee, consisting of Com. Lloyd and Supt. McLaren, was appointed to keep the matter under observation and report any new developments

Garfield Park pumping station

The report of C. L. McEnerney to the Mission Improvement Association relative to the removal of the Garfield Park pumping station, came next. It was moved that the pumping facility matter be commenced before the Board, at its next meeting, and asked to show cause why it should not remove its plant from Garfield Park within the succeeding sixty days. As it was alleged that the smoke of same might subject the neighborhood to danger of conflagration, it was further moved that the Chief of the Fire Dept and the City Engineer be requested to be present and give the Board the benefit of their expert advice. All three communications were ordered mailed under registered cover

The application for employment of Mr. Thos. James Kendal, of San Jose, was opened, they not being residents of San Francisco

A letter from the United Rail Roads to Supt McLaren anent the removal of the Peach Station, was referred back to McLaren to straighten out an error of location and a letter acknowledging the company's courtesy was ordered.

A request for flowers from Etta G. Olsen referred to the Board of Supervisors Kaylor was referred to Supt McLaren for investigation and he was instructed to comply with Miss Olsen's request should the charity prove to be a worthy one

The bid of F. Schafer who offered Ten dollars for the old windmill tank on the Great Highway was referred to Supt McLaren

An estimate for repairing Dewey Monument in Union Square received from Newton Sharp was referred to Com. Cummings for investigation

Some further correspondence from Mrs. Woodward in re convenience Stations in Washington and Union Squares was turned over to Com. Phelan who had the matter in charge.

The matter of waitresses employed in the Childrens Play Ground was continued - Com. Gilkpatrick not being present.

Under new business Pres. Metson suggested Supt McLaren be instructed to appoint men to the special duty of cleaning up lunch [illegible] and other debris on Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and other holidays this action having a special object at this time - namely to assist in the city's crusade against rats. On being put to vote the suggestion of Pres. Metson was unanimously carried

Signs and names Rides in B. C. P.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, Supt. McLaren was ordered to report to the Board the names of all roads, paths, highways and byways in Golden Gate Park together with an estimate of the cost of supplying signs bearing their names at proper intervals so that the public be enabled to properly obey ordinances. It was so ordered.

Chinese pheasants in P.

Architect Edgar A. Matthews came before the Board and with its members present went over the plans for the yacht model house to be erected west of Spreckels Lake. He was told to prepare seperate ~~estimates~~ specifications for the stone, brick and cement work thereon. It was decided to call for proposals on these seperate items with the understanding that the Board reserved to itself the right to reject any or all of such proposals received.

Coping to be repaired

On motion of Com. Phelan, duly seconded, it was decided to notify the Board of Public Works to repair and put in good order, the coping and sidewalk surrounding Union Square. Supt. McLaren was instructed to see that orders were carried out.

Trees in Border for Conservatory

On motion of Com. Phelan duly seconded the trees and hedges along the west side of the conservatory were ordered removed and a Lawson thistle planted in their place.

Robert Burns Monument

It was decided by the Board that Pres. Metson being in the best qualified to do so on such occasions, be appointed a committee of one to appear on behalf of the Board and accept for the Park the Burns Monument at its unveiling at five o'clock on the afternoon of [illegible]

New site for Francis Key Monument

The committee having the matter in charge reported that it had decided on as a new site for the Francis Key Monument; a point on the south side of the south drive around Music Valley, where the pampas grass is planted. On Motion of Com. Phelan, duly seconded this site was unanimously adopted

Auto. ordinance

On the suggestion of Pres. Wilson, the ammendments to the ordinance governing automobiles and amending their privileges having been voted on by all present and unanimously adopted it was ordered passed to print to be and advertised according.

Francis Key Monument

It was decided to ask for proposals for moving the Francis Key Monument to its new site. Said proposals subject to Specifications to be drawn by Com. Cummings and ready for consideration by the Board at its next meeting. When approved by the Board, these specifications to be placed on file at the Park Lodge office for the inspection of those interested. Said specifications and proposals to be of two kinds. One calling for bids to move the monument and its foundation as it is. The other calling for bids for the construction of a new concrete foundation and the placing of the stone work complete as it now stands. The Board reserving the right to accept or reject each or any bid as it see fit

Secretary's Duties

The secretary offered the Park a mule, subject to the approval of Capt. McKay. As Mr. McKay did not approve of mules the offer was withdrawn.

There being no further business the Board adjourned

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmont Hotel, Feby 19/08

Were present

Pres. Metson
Com. Cummings
Kirkpatrick
Boyd

Business transacted

The following business was transacted:

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved with the following corrections, "Ammendments to the" changed to "new" in the paragraph relating to the automobile ordinance. "The best qualified" stricken out in the paragraph devoted to the Burns Monument celebration.

Then appeared Major McKinstry, U. S. A. Engineer Corps. He brought for the Boards inspection drawings of a range-finding station, which the War Department desired to erect on a plot of ground 134'x44'6", situate within the boundries of Golden Gate Park, at the S.W. Cor of said Park East of the Great-High Way. The Commissioners declared themselves as strongly opposed to the National Government using any of the Park lands while each member of the Commission was heartily in favor of anything helping to perfect our system of National defense, yet, inasmuch as there were other unoccupied private lands adjacent to the Park, which, in the judgement of Major McKinstry were quite as suitable for the contemplated Stat... the Commissioners considered their obligations to the publics made it imperative for them to decline to see any portion of the publics play ground for such a purpose. The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Secretary of War through Gen Pe, explain to him the circumstances of the case and to respectfully protest against the National Government exercising it's right of eminent domain.

Range-finding Sta...

Spring Valley Water Plant in Garfield Park

In obedience to a summons, Pres. Payson, of the Spring Valley Water Co. appeared before the Board to show cause why his company should not remove its plant from Garfield Park. Pres. Payson, giving no good reason for not so doing, and his statements and estimates of cost agreeing neither with the opinions of the Chief of the Fire Department nor with those of Engineer McInerny, of the Mission Improvement Association, it was decided that the plant should be removed. Some discussion was had on the length of time which should be allowed the Spring Valley Co. wherein to comply with the Boards decision. Pres. Metson advocated sixty days and thirty days thereafter; Com. Phelan favored four months and Com. Boyd advised six. The matter was balloted upon and the first ballot resulted in no determination, Pres Metson voting for sixty and thirty days, Comrs Phelan and Cummings voting for four months and Comrs. Boyd and Kirkpatrick not voting. On a second ballot the four months time limit was carried. The Spring Valley Water Co., through its president, was then ordered to have the removal of its plant from Garfield Park accomplished not later than four months from [illegible]

Com. Phelan suggested that the Haight St. Entrance to Golden Gate Park be enlarged and so altered as to do away with the sharp turn in the roadway and to produce a more artistic effect. This matter went over.

The request of Geo. H. Fabrion, of Los Angeles for a miniature railroad concession was given to the Secretary to answer.

The invitation from the Burns Monument Committee to be present at the Monuments unveiling was read.

A letter from the Academy of Sciences asking for space in Golden Gate Park for the erection of a temporary museum building later to be followed by a permanent and more ornate structure, was read and the drawings which accompanied the communication were [illegible]. Some discussion ensued relative to the proposition and Com. Phelan was appointed a committee of one to do further with the matter with the proper authorities of the Academy of Sciences. Copies of the communication were ordered made and forwarded to the different [illegible]

A letter from the Fleet Committee of Decorations, asking for the cooperation of the Park Commissioners in providing floral decorations for the fare places in various portions of the city was referred to Supt McLaren. Mr. McLaren was instructed to confer with Secretary Hyde, of the Fleet Com. and to do all in his power to facilitate matters.

A Communication from J. C. Clark of Sacramento, offering for sale to the Museum the old State Coach of Gen. Sutter, was referred to Supt McLaren was instructed to take the matter up with Dr E. J. Fristin and see what terms could be made.

Etta G Blacks request request for vines and cut flowers was referred to Supt McLaren who was directed to refuse the flowers, but to use his own judgement in regard to the vines and greens.

The offer of various theatrical memorabilia from Mrs. Thos Thacker of Washington D. C. was accepted.

A letter from Chas. Westley Reed was referred to the Board of Public [illegible]

The report of the Curator of the Natural History Department was read, accepted and ordered

A communication from Mr. Peter Provost, of Seattle, offering mammoth bones for sale, was referred to Com Cummings, who was requested to communicate with F.E Chilberg Scandanavian American Bank, Seattle in regard to the matter

The offer for sale to the Museum of said curios & Indian Grasses was referred to Com. Cummings, as was the repair of the picture entitled "The Court Jailor" which had been damaged by the Earthquake

A discription of the various roads in Golden Gate Park was returned to Supt. McLaren who was instructed to give a distinguishing name and number to each one.

Reports from the Curator of the Memorial Museum were read, adopted and ordered filed. Proper letters of acknowledgement were ordered sent to the various donations

The request of the U. S. Engineer for 300 cu. yds of sand and gravel was referred to Supt [illegible]

A letter to His Honor the Mayor, from the Marine Hospital, and referred to this Board

[illegible] requested the construction of half a block of road through Mountain Lake Park to the Government Reservation. It was turned over to Supt. McLaren for investigation, report and estimate of the cost of such construction

There being no further business, the Board [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmount Hotel, March 4th 1908:

Were present Pres. Nelson
Com Cummings
" Lloyd
" Phelan
Absent [illegible]

The following business was transacted:
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved with the following correction "That a Committee of the Whole together with the officials of the Academy of Sciences, meet and proceed to select a proper site for the new Academy of Sciences building in Golden [illegible]

The report of the Superintendent was read, accepted and ordered filed and all recommendations contained therein were ordered

A petition headed by "The Leader" asking for a reduction of the prevailing prices at the Children's Playground, to a price of three tickets for five cents, caused some discussion, Com Lloyd and Com Phelan taking the principal part Com Phelan was in favor of granting it if possible and Com Lloyd was strongly in favor of denying it, inasmuch as the present price hardly paid expenses. Upon being put to vote the petition was denied The Secretary was instructed so to inform "The Leader" and such organizations as had officially endorsed The Leader's movement and to explain to them that the present rate hardly paid expenses. Notwithstanding such being the case, numerous free days were given the children. [illegible]

A communication from Joseph V. Wheeler, offering for sale to the Museum a Napoleonic cannon [illegible] Cannon

A communication from Curry R. Jones, asking for additional handball courts in Golden Gate Park, was referred to Supt McLaren, with power to act

A letter of thanks from the Fleet Committee was read and ordered filed

A letter from the Alaska Yukon Exposition, Seattle, asking for flowers, shrubs &c was referred to Supt. McLaren who was instructed to comply as far as possible

The Secretary was instructed to inform W. H. Cohill, that while the Commission would not buy his pet deer, it would care for it if shipped to Golden Gate Park at his expense

A reply was ordered sent to Secretary Frank Heeren of the Pacific Turn Bezirk that when the Stadium lockers were finished his organization would receive its just allotment thereof, but that special privileges would be granted no one

H. C. Horne, of Red Rock, Lassen Co. Cal. offered for sale some mule-tailed deer. The Secretary was ordered to take the matter up with Com Vogelsang of the Game Commission

Com Lloyd informed the Board he could procure some fine Alaska grass for nothing. The matter was turned over to Mr Lloyd and Supt McLaren with power to act

The Secretary was instructed to write to the Board of Public Works and request that body to have the repair of the curbing and sidewalks around Union Square completed before the first

Mountain Lake Park

Superintendent McLaren reported that to construct a road through Mountain Lake Park, such as had been requested by the Marine Hospital authorities, would cost $[illegible]. The Board decided this was too much and Supt. McLaren was instructed to see the surgeon commanding and go further into the matter.

for

It was decided to care for beds for furnishing 500 lockers, more or less, for the Stadium. Beds to be asked for lockers of metal. This was referred [illegible] who was instructed to draw up specifications and contracts and to inform the Secretary to advertise same. The Board reserving the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

A notification from the United Railroads that it would discontinue its payment of $100 per month toward the [illegible], was turned over to Pres. Nelson, who was to go into the matter with the proper traction officials. This action of the railroads was discussed and the Board agreed that, unless the railroads rescinded its action, the concerts in the park would have to

Com. Lloyd brought to the attention of the Board that public meetings of various sorts, many of them distinctly anarchistic in character were constantly taking place and it is distinctly forbidden by this Commission to hold public meetings of any character in any of the city parks or squares within the jurisdiction of this Commission. Com. Roy moved that the Secretary be instructed to call the matter to the attention of the Chief of Police and request that he see that the regulations of the Park Commissioners be rigidly enf

Dewey Monument

Com. Cummings reported on the repair of the trident that surmounts the Dewey Monument in Union Square. The great deficiency of reaching it had been surmounted by the Chief of the Fire Department offering the use of the fire [illegible]. Mr. Cummings offered to take charge of the matter himself. Upon motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded the matter was ordered referred to Com. Cummings and the thanks of the Board were extended to him for his generous donation of his services.

The bid of the McGilvray Stone Co. to move the intact portion of the Francis Key Monument to its new site and there set it up for the sum of $1800.00 provoked some discussion. Pres. Watson considered the sum as too high, while Comrs. Lloyd and Phelan were in favor of accepting it. The matter was put to a vote and resulted in the bid being accepted by three to one. The ayes being Comrs. Cummings, Lloyd and O'Keefe. The Pres. Watson, Treas. Phelan then suggested that a time limit be attached to the contract compelling the completion of the work within six weeks from date, so that the monument be in perfect condition by the time of the fleet's arrival. It was so ordered. The Secretary was instructed to write the McGilvray Stone Co and acquaint them with the conditions under which their bid has been accepted.

There being no further business, the Board, on motion, adjourned

H A Reed
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel March 19th, 1908.

Were present

Pres. Nelson
Com. Cummings
" Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
" Phelan

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were waived in order that more important matters might be given consideration

The business of the proposed Academy of Sciences building in Golden Gate Park came first and it was finally decided that Pres Nelson draft a letter to the officials of the Academy of Sciences which would be in accordance with the resolutions covering the project which had been passed at a previous meeting. The Secretary was instructed to have a copy made of such resolutions for the Commissioners.

Came next the question of band concerts in Golden Gate Park. Pres. Nelson reported he had conferred with the United Railroads who had refused to contribute any further toward the pay of the musicians. Leader Steindorff, of the Park Band appeared before the Board and gave as his opinion that twenty-four musicians might produce adequate music, but that any smaller number would [illegible]. E. A. Cook, of the Park News, suggested that another effort be made to get the United Railroads to contribute and offered to raise $75.00 per month by popular subscription. A communication from F. A. Dinkelspiel, manager of C. Ahrens Band was read wherein he offered to play in the Park for the sum of $2.00 per man per concert and $10.00 per concert for the leader. His men to furnish their own uniform and music. Considerable discussion ensued, whereupon the various members of the

Mr Ash was authorized to proceed with the collectation of subscriptions though he was informed that the Board would guarantee nothing The matter then went over for further consideration Com Phelan then informed the Board that a Band would play in Golden Gate Park during the reception of the fleet as the Fleet Reception Committee would provide the funds, if they could not be otherwise procured

A Committee, representing the San Francisco Rowing Club, the Bay City Wheelmen and the Cycle Board of Trade, appeared before the Commissioners and petitioned for the erection of a grand stand at the Stadium Track It was finally decided that Com. Kirkpatrick confer with the committee and decide on the size and site of such a building Supt McLaren was instructed to prepare plans for the inspection of the Board at its next meeting also estimates for the cost if such a building in both wood and concrete Com Lloyd informed the committee that no special privileges would be allowed a

A bid of the McGilvray Stone Co., for the stone work of the Spreckels Lake Boat House, was read over and the Secretary was instructed to advertise for proposals for the same Proposals to be made returnable at the next meeting of the Board

The Southern Heights Improvement Club complained, through the Board of Health, of Jackson Park as a nuisance and petitioned that the park be filled up to grade Referred to Supt McLaren for an estimate of the cost of such work

An acknowledgement from Com. Perkins was read, informing the Board that his letter went range finding Letter filed

received proper consideration

Life saving Station / Beach

The United States Life Saving Service petitioned for permission to erect a pole on the beach for their purposes. Permission was granted, on condition that the pole should be erected under the supervision of Supt. McLaren, should remain at the Pleasure of the Park Commissioners and should be removed whenever they should so request.

Congress / Roads

A communication from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, notifying the Board of an "International Congress of Roads" to be held in Paris on October 5th, was read. The Secretary was told to inform His Honor the Mayor of such Californians as would be in Paris at that time, and to request that he appoint delegates from among them.

A petition from Capt of Police Burke, on behalf of Mrs. Gonzales for lunch seeking privileges, was refused in compliance with the charter and park regulations which forbid such concessions

Curators Reports

The reports of the Curators of the Museum and Natural History, were accepted and ordered filed

Flag pole

Pres Melvon informed the Commissioners that certain ladies were willing to donate a flag to fly from Telegraph Hill providing the Park Commissioners would procure the pole. Referred to Supt. McLaren to see if a pole could be procured and the cost of same

Franklin Statue

The matter of the late Benjamin Nelson of Franklin Square was referred to Supt McLaren with power to

Experimental breakwater

Pres Nelson reported he had taken an engineer to the beach to give expert opinion on the breakwater or dyke matter. Mr. Nelson stated that jacks would not do and that concrete construction was the only way to hold the beach. At the suggestion of Com. Lloyd it was agreed that the Supt. make an estimate of the cost of an experimental breakwater to be constructed in the vicinity of the Beach [illegible]

Com. Cummings reported that in order to repair the trident on the Dewey Monument it would be necessary to build a staging about the monument. Some discussion ensued as to what should be done. It was finally decided to get a report from the City Engineer ~~Thayer~~ as to the probability of danger from the present condition of the monument; further action be suspended until such report be received

There being no further business, the meeting, on motion, adjourned

[illegible]

The following ordinance governing automobiles & other vehicles in Golden Gate Park, having been unanimously passed upon and accepted by the Board of Park Commissioners was duly passed to print, advertised and made operative according to law

An Ordinance of the Board of Commissioners, known as "Park Commissioners' of the City and County of San Francisco, California, governing the use of the roads, speedways and driveways, in all parks in the City and County of San Francisco, setting forth certain of said roads, speedways [illegible] by motor by motor vehicles, regulating the speed of all vehicles on certain of said roads, speedways and driveways and making it unlawful to violate the terms hereof and providing a penalty for such violation.

All driveways, speedways, and roads in in the public parks of the City and County of San Francisco, are hereby expressly set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages at all times, except that certain of the roads, driveways and speedways in Golden Gate Park and the Great Highway, may at the times and under the conditions, hereinafter set out, be used by motor for the conveyance of passengers

Section 11. [illegible]

Motor vehicles may use, between the hours hereinafter specified only, the Main Driveway, the Middle Driveway, the Middle Driveway, the road encircling the Chain of Lakes, and the road encircling the Music Stand in Golden Gate Park and the Great Highway including the elevated portion thereof; between the hours of sunrise and one half hour after sunset except that the [illegible] road encircling the Music Stand and that portion of the Main Driveway from from the point of intersecting of the Middle Driveway therewith [illegible]

westerly to the point where Seventy-first Ave if projected across the Park would intersect said driveway are hereby expressly set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages on Sundays and holidays; and excepting further that motor vehicles may use the South Driveway and the Easterly, or lower half of the Great Highway from 6 A.M. to 11 P.M.; and excepting further, that ~~no~~ Motor vehicles proceeding in a southerly direction only shall be permitted to use the elevated portion of the Great Highway between sunrise and one half hour after sun

Subdivision II

The speed of all vehicles on the Main and Middle Driveways, the road encircling the Chain of Lakes, the road encircling the Music Stand, the elevated portion of the Great Highway and that portion of the Great Highway north of the point where the southerly portion of the park if projected westerly would intersect said highway will be limited to six miles per hour at all times; and the speed of all vehicles at all times, on the South Driveway and the easterly or lower side of the Great Highway south of the place where the southerly boundary of the park if projected westerly, would intersect said highway, will be limited to fifteen miles per hour.

Subdivision III

The driveways, speedways and roadways, heretofore set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages will be designated by signs reading "Automobiles Prohibited." The road to Strawberry Hill, the Observatory, the Speedway, the North Ridge Driveway and the Panhandle are included in the roads so set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages.

Automobiles will not be permitted to stop on the Park or upon the Great Highway except at the Parking Rods maintained

Section 3.

Operators or chauffeurs must be skilled in the management of such vehicles and no instruction of beginners will be permitted upon any driveway in the Golden Gate Park or upon the Great Highway. No person operating a motor vehicle as a mechanic or employee, or for hire, will be permitted to operate such vehicle in the Golden Gate Park or upon the Great Highway unless his state badge shall be pinned upon his outer clothing, upon the right breast and in a conspicuous place, at all times while he is so operating such vehicle.

When horses become restive or frightened at the approach of any motor vehicle, the conductor thereof shall bring such vehicle to full stop. Operators or chauffeurs of automobiles must keep the mufflers closed while upon the Park.

When signaled by an officer or custodian by the raising of a hand or three blasts of a police whistle, automobiles must be brought to a full stop.

Operators of automobiles in meeting or passing carriages, must keep as far apart as possible. Automobiles shall not travel side by side in the Park, except when passing each other and then only for as short a distance as reasonably possible to make the passage without danger to either.

Section 4. No motor vehicle shall be allowed in the Golden Gate Park or upon the Great Highway that has not strictly conformed to the act of the Legislature approved March 22d 1905, entitled An act to regulate the operation of motor vehicles on the public highway and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the object of this act.

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any vehicle upon any of the roads, speedways and driveways mentioned in this ordinance at a rate of speed greater than that herein provided, and it shall be

motor vehicle upon any road, speedway or driveway herein provided to be reserved for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages; and it shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle upon any of the roads, speedways or driveways upon which motor vehicles are hereby permitted to be used except at the time and between the hours provided in this ordinance; and any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished therefore, on conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction.

This ordinance shall take effect April 6th 1908

H. E. Lewis
Recorder

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, Tuesday (illegible)

Pres. Metson
Com. Cummings
" Lloyd
" Phelan
Absent Com. Kirkpatrick

The minutes of the previous meeting were waived in order to give precedence to (illegible)

The report of Supt. McLaren was read accepted and ordered placed on file. All the recommendations contained therein were adopted, except that referring to the Grand Stand at the Stadium. This was turned over to Pres Metson for investigation and future report.

A letter from the Board of Pub. Works concerning street sweepings was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for 4500 feet of hose on Supt McLaren's specifications

Com Lloyd further instructed that all invitations for bids be extended to all dealers of San Francisco and Oakland.

The Committee of the San Francisco Driving Club appeared and reported upon work done in connection with selecting a site for the Stadium Grand (illegible)

Letters were read from various musical organizations requesting the concert privileges of Golden Gate Park. (illegible) of employing non-union musicians. The entire matter was turned over to a committee consisting of Pres Metson and Com Cummings to report to the Board as soon as (illegible)

A resolution was adopted at the suggestion of Com. Phelan giving the Fleet Committee permission to hold concerts in Golden Gate Park and in the city squares on May 10th, or any other day during the reception of the fleet. Concerts to be held by arrangement with Supt McLaren and stands to be erected under Mr McLaren's

Com. Phelan was appointed a committee of one to confer with the Chief of Police on the regulation of automobile traffic at night.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to widen and improve the surface of the elevated portion of the Great Highway. He was authorized to use clay [illegible] Mr. McLaren was also authorized to repair the damaged windmill by replacing the broken wing and to further strengthen all wings by a connecting [illegible]

Upon motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the Board declared it was its unalterable desire that no wagons, garbage or other burdens, be permitted to go through Golden Gate Park except by written permission of the Superintendent.

The petition of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Co. to lay pipes through Golden Gate Park to replace old ones, was referred to Pres Meldrum & [illegible]

Bids for metal lockers, 500 more or less, were then opened. They were as follows

H. & G. Locker Co.
San Francisco, Cal.
Quote for Vandorn Lockers. Cleveland Ohio.
[illegible] Lockers [illegible] $738.00
$820.00
$2470.00

The above prices for lockers in place, ready for use. Club House Stadium Golden Gate Park.

M. J. Neat Co.
[illegible]
500 Lockers — — $1.15 each
Should locks not be required deduct 50¢ each
The above price for lockers in place, ready for use, Club House, Stadium, G. [illegible]

The General Fireproofing Co.,
Agent H H Thurston
82 Second St. S.F. Cal
Bid I 500 Lockers $1787.50
" II " " 1667.50
The above prices for lockers in place, ready for use Club House, Stadium Golden Gate Pa.
Certified check for 180

Merrill A. Reed
869 O'Farrell St SF Cal.
Agt Federal Steel Furniture
Bid I 500 Lockers $4.65 each.
" II " " 4.45
" III " " 4.25 "
The above prices for lockers read, for use, in place Club House, Stadium Golden Gate Park
Bond Fidelity and Dep. Co. of Maryland

Art Metal Construction Co.,
18 Grant Ave S.F. Cal
Prop I
Bid 1 500 Lockers $1700
" 2 " " 1950
" 3 " " 1990
Prop 2
Bid 1 500 Lockers $2200
" " 1440
To the above bids shall be added $115.00 for loading in Stadium Club House, G.G. Park and setting in pl
Certified check for 100

Williams and Carter Co
147 Jessie St S.F. Cal
Agents for Derrand Locker
Bid 1 500 Lockers $2.10 each
" 2 " " "
The above prices for lockers in place, ready for use, Club House, Stadium Golden Gate Park Work the exception of bid
Certified check for $20;

McCormick-Henderson Co.
#110 Bush St. S.F. Cal.
Bid for 500 Lockers $3.40 each
" " " 3.65
the above prices for Lockers in place, ready for use, Club House, Stadium G.G. Park
Certified check for $250.00
the above bids were all referred to Com Phelan for investigation and report.

On motion of Com. Boyd, duly seconded, it was decided that the usual May Day festival be held, under the direction of Mr. McLaren, in Golden Gate Park

Owing to there having been no concert the "Park News" was permitted to pay, for the month of March only, one fourth its regular contract price

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, April 9th 1908,

Were present

Pres. Metson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
Lloyd
Phelan

The object of this meeting being to consider the matter of the resumption of Band Concerts in Golden Gate Park, the first business was listening to the report of Pres Metson. Following the report ensued a general discussion on the advisability of employing the First Regiment National Guard Band of the Fifth Regiment: Com. Phelan stated that such employment would cause dissatisfaction and discontent and would disturb the industrial quiet so much desired by His Honor Mayor Coffers. Lloyd, Nelson Cumming and Kirkpatrick thought the question of unionism or non-unionism should not be taken into consideration. They were in favor of the Fifth Regiment Band as it was the [illegible]. Finally Com. Phelan moved that the Cassassa Band of thirty pieces, be employed for a trial at a price of $160.00 per concert. The trial to be of not more than four concerts This motion being seconded by Com. Cummings was put to vote and lost as follows:

Aye Com. Phelan No Com Nelson
Lloyd
Kirkpatrick

Some further discussion then took place. Those opposed to the Cassassa Band stated that their principal objection was that the Commission was not assured of the money wherewith to meet the expense Com. Phelan thereupon gave his personal guarantee for the payment of the charges. Upon this understanding the question was again put to vote and it was unanimously decided that Cassassa's Band should be given [illegible] and the amended motion [illegible]

Resolved That Cassassa Band of thirty musicians be employed, at a price of $160.00 per. concert, for a trial not to exceed four concerts, Comr Phelan giving his personal guarantee that the money to cover such payments, up to the sum of $600.00, shall be forthcoming when [illegible]

Comr. Phelan reported that he had seen the Chief of Police who had agreed to provide a mounted police to regulate auto traffic at night. Upon this understanding it was unanimously agreed not to rigorously enforce the eleven o'clock portion of the [illegible]

Reports of the Curator were accepted and ordered filed

The meeting, on motion, adjourned

W. A. Lind

[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, Thursday April 16th 1908
Were present
Pres Nelson
Com Kirkpatrick
" Phelan
Absent " Kelly
" Cunningham

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was waived

Bids & Awards The reports of the Curators of the Museum and of Natural History were accepted and the customary letters of acknowledgment were ordered sent to the various donors

Bid for Sprecklels Boat house accepted A Bid of the Mc Gilvray Stone Co., to deliver cut, point and erect the stone work of the Sprecklels Boat House at Golden Gate Park for the sum of $4193.00, was held over for the consideration of a bond

Permission granted Miss Estelle Carpenter to rehirse the school children at the Band Stand in Golden Gate Park, under the supervision of Supt. McLaren

Permission granted Fleet Committee to hold an auto parade through the Panhandle on condition that they procure extra and sufficent police

Supt McLaren instructed to present plans for erection of a ~~monument~~ grand stand around Marshall Monument or on Marshall site

Bids to supply 6000 cubic yards of clay more or less, to the New Reservoir, Golden Gate Park, were received from Owen McHugh .74 3/4¢ per cu. yd, and City Construction .99 1/2¢ " " " " Owen McHugh, being the lowest bidder, receiving the contract

Bids to supply 4000 ft 1" hose and 500 ft 1¼" hose were opened. The Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg. Co., quoting the lowest figure were awarded the C.

The bids were as follows

Plant Rubber Co.	4000 ft. 1" hose	$ 800.00
	1000 " 1¼" "	295.00
	4000 " 1" "	720.00
	1000 " 1¼" "	223.20
Goodyear Rubber Co.	4000 1" hose	14¢ per ft
" " " "	500 1¼" "	18¢ " "
Pacific Coast Rubber Co.	4000 1" hose	14¾¢ per ft
	500 1¼" "	22¢ "
Bowers Rubber Co.	4000 ft 1" hose	16½¢ per ft
	500 " 1¼"	21¢ " "
Gorham Rubber Co.	4000 ft 1" hose	18½¢ per ft
	500 " 1¼"	23½¢ " "
Gutta-Percha Rubber Mfg. Co.	4000 ft. 1" hose	14¢ per ft
	500 " 1¼	" "

were being no further business, the meeting
on motion, adjourned

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, April 23d 1908.

Were present — Pres. Nelson, Com. Kirkpatrick, Cummings, Lloyd

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Petition of Outdoor League of the California Club asking that the name of 'Dupont' be given to the elevated portion of the Great Highway, was held over until action on the matter by the Board of Supervisors

Request to exhibit — D. F. Keeler appeared and requested permission to exhibit his life saving apparatus on the beach. Request was opposed by Com. Lloyd on the ground that it was discouraging commercial enterprise within the confines of the Park. On motion of Com. Phelan, duly seconded, Mr. Keeler, by a vote of three to two, was given one week in which to perform, during which the Commissioners should view his performance and decide upon the matter

Petition of P. M. Reynolds to conduct a boat — The petition of P. M. Reynolds to conduct a boat station on the beach was denied unanimously.

Petition — The petitions of the widow Mrs Enright for the privilege of selling provisions at the Stadium during the Fleet festivities was referred to Pres. Nelson and Com. Kirkpatrick with power to act

Request — The request of the Fleet Committee for the use of the Stadium and Cars Rail Grounds was granted with the understanding that such privilege should be under the supervision of Capt McKeen

Com. Phelan reported on the bids for metal lockers and recommended the acceptance of the proposal of Williams & Carter Co for 500 Derand Steel Lockers 12"x 15"x 36" F. O. B. San Francisco @ $3.10 This bid was the lowest Com. Phelan's recommendation was [illegible]

A Communication from Lieut Smart, U S A asking permission to use the parks and squares for the purpose of advertising for army recruits through the medium of Soldiers and portable signs, met with some opposition from Com. Boyd. By a vote of three to two, the permission was temporarily granted

A letter from the Daughters of Pioneers in reference to the presentation of historical and other objects to the Museum was referred to Com. Cummings with power to act

A letter from Emiles Laisnets Attorney for the Scavengers Protective Association was received this morning against the scavengers not being permitted to use Golden Gate Park as a thoroughfare was not considered

The Secretary was directed to acknowledge the donations to the Museum by the daughter of Col. Jack Hays and Mr Sloss

Com. Cummings reported that he had made arrangements with the Putnam Granite Co. to repair Dewey Mon At the suggestion of Com. Phelan such repairs were to be deferred until after the fleets arrival unless they could be completed prior

A letter from James Garrity reporting the loss of a pay demand and requesting the issuance of a duplicate was read. The Secretary was instructed to comply on condition Mr. Garrity present affidavit to that effect covering the facts and a bond to indemnify the

A communication from the Mast Caulking Wheelmen asking for Sunday privileges was referred to Supt. McLaren with power

L. 9th . A communication from G Toye, President of the Courtland Improvement Club, anent Colly Park was referred to Supt McLaren to investigate, find cost of water and report.

. 1 1. The bid of the McGilvray Stone Co. for work on Spreckels Boat House
Spreckels Boat House. went over. Supt. McLaren was instructed to consult the architect and make a full report.

On motion by Com Phelan, duly seconded the request of the Naval
. Provost Guard for lights in Portsmouth and Jefferson Squares
Ft Fourth Sqs. was granted. Same to be under direction and supervision of Supt. McLaren

On motion of Com Boyd duly seconded a vote of thanks
was tendered to the Fleet Entertainment Committee
for its donation of $1000.00 to decorate the Stadium
in Golden Gate Park. The money was placed at the
order of Supt McLaren to be expended.

Band of The band of the Fifth Regt. N.G.C. was given permission
5th Regt to play for four Saturday afternoons in Golden
N.G.C. Gate Park

Adjournment There being no further business the meeting
motion, adjourned.

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmont Hotel, April 20/08
Were present

Pres. Melvin
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Phelan
" Lloyd Absent

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Bids for food concession at the Stadium during the Fleet entertainment were opened and read by the Secretary. They were as follows: Jenkins 10% of the gross receipts
Tait 10% "
Huber 5% "
Hadley 17½% "

Privilege was awarded to John Tait he being the only one of the bidders having the proper facilities to handle the undertaking. The Board, on motion, duly seconded, passed the following resolution

Resolved: That John Tait be employed by the Board of Park Commissioners to have charge of the refreshments at the Stadium during the G. G. Park fleet ... he to furnish all supplies for attendants and to pack everything connected with the successful carrying out of the undertaking at his own expense, and to receive as his remuneration 25% of the gross receipts. Furthermore Mr. Tait is to do nothing contrary to the express ...

On motion of Com. Phelan, duly seconded it was decided to employ Command's Band to play Sundays in Golden Gate Park during balance of fiscal year or at the pleasure of the Board.

A communication from the Third Artillery Band asking to be employed for Sunday concerts in G. G. Park was ordered ...

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Regular meeting.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel May 21/09
Were present

Pres. Nelson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
" Cummings
" Phelan

Minutes.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and amended by the interpolation of "from week to week," in the paragraph regarding the employment of Cussans as Band for the balance of the fiscal year.

Edgar A Matthews architect, appeared with the Board on the plans and stone work for the Boat House at Spreckels Lake. It was decided to reject such proposals as had been received and to readvertise for the stone work

Resignations

The resignation of J W Rogers as Curator of the Memorial Museum was read and accepted the Board directed upon the minutes that the resignation of Mr Rogers was entirely voluntary, that he had given entire satisfaction and that his resignation was a matter of surprise and

Museum

Applications for the position left vacant by the resignation of Mr. Rogers were received from Messrs Cummings, Gray and Goles and Com Lloyd verbally presented the application of Mr. C P Nelson On suggestion of Com. Lloyd action on these applications was deferred to a special meeting to be held Thursday, May 28th

A letter from Major McKinstry, U S A was referred to committee consisting of [illegible] which was to confer with the [illegible] and report on the range-finding station in which the communication was

An application from the Driving Association for exclusive use of the Stadium was de-

The request of the Fifth Regiment Band for the extension of the Saturday afternoon concert privilege, was granted said privilege to continue at the pleasure of the Board.

The Secretary was instructed to secure from the Secretary of State the names of S.F. automobile owners, to have printed copies of the Park automobile ordinance and regulations, and to mail a copy of same to each owner.

The offer of the Chute to sell for $200.00 stuffed animals to the Memorial Museum, was referred to Com. on

An Engrossed letter of thanks was ordered sent to Miss. Sarah Spooner in acknowledgement of her generous gift to the Memorial Museum

A vote of thanks was given the Com. on Reception of the Fleet Reception Committee for its donation of flags, bunting and decorations to the

The Secretary was instructed to collect $2500.00 due from the San Francisco Hotel Co. under their Union Sq

The Secretary was ordered to instruct Supt. McLaren, by letter, that it was the sense of the Board that obscene spouting in Union Square be done away with

Reports from the Curator were read

A letter of thanks from the Board of Education was read. It was in

of courtesies received from this Commission.
A letter of thanks from the Daughters of the Revolution was received and read.

Letters from the Lake Heights Improvement Club and the Polaris Commercial Manufacturers Assn were referred [illegible]

There being no further business the meeting on motion, adjourned

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmount Hotel June 2nd, 1904.

Were present

Pres. Nelson
Com. Cummings
" Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
Absent " Phelan.

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read, and approved, the report of the Supt. was placed before the Board, adopted and ordered filed

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the Secretary was instructed to give notice to the proper parties to have the refugee cottages in Lotus Square, the Building of the Cala Foucaldine Committee, in Union Square and the Board of Health Building in Jefferson Square vacated and removed [illegible] within [illegible].

Applications for the position of Curator of the Memorial Museum were received from Wm. Altman, Albert E. Gray and M.E. Gates. On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Gray was put in nomination and unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. Com. Phelan, who was not present expressed his preference for Mr. Gray & telegram The bond of the Curator was fixed at $[illegible]

The petition of K. M. Hagg to run a photograph gallery in Golden Gate Park, was denied

On motion of Com. Cummings, seconded by Com. Lloyd, the salary of the Asst. Curator Wm. Altman was raised from $100 per [illegible] to $125. per [illegible]

Inventory of Museum to be

It was ordered that an inventory of all articles in the Memorial Museum be taken to date and the same be checked by the Curator, A.E. G

Offer of gun

A letter from V. Grothwell offering for sale to the Museum a collection of guns and rifles was turned over to Com. Lloyd and the Secretary was instructed to invite Mr. Grothwell and refer him to Mr. Lloyd

Complaint re refugee cottages on Pt Lobos

A letter from the Pt. Lobos Imp. Club complaining of refugee cottages on Pt Lobos Lot 13th & 14th (not) was read the Secy. was instructed to inform the Club that such territory had not yet been turned over to the Park Commissioners by the Board of Supervisors

A letter of thanks for courtesies extended, was received from the California Club

Cut white

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the Supt. was instructed to procure a carload of white and a carload of purple rhodod. cut for the G...

Driving Club

On motion of Com. Kirkpatrick, duly seconded the first four dates asked for by the Park Amateur Driving Club, were granted

A request for clk. from Jos. Mitchell of Cala. Hot Springs, was turned over to McLaren with power to act

Bicycle

An application for automobile privilege in Golden Gate Park was denied

A request from the U.S. Engineers office for information regarding the cutting of trees in Golden Gate Park, ...

Resolution re ... cases

The following resolution calling the attention of the Grand Jury to the action of the police courts in the cases of automobile owners arrested for speeding in Golden Gate Park, was unanimously adopted.

Whereas, the Police Department has reported to the Board of Park Commissioners in substance that they have within the last four months made 50 arrests for the violation of Park Ordinances but that the Police Courts in almost every instance, although the proof was clear and, in some cases flagrant, dismissed the defendant and

Whereas, the Board of Park Commissioners know it will be useless to attempt to preserve the Park unless the penalty for the violation of its ordinances, can be enforced

Now Therefore be it resolved that the attention of the Grand Jury of the City and County of San Francisco be called to this matter and they be requested to investigate the same and see wherein the fault is ...

(Adjourned) There being no further business, the meeting ...

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, Tuesday, June 16th 1908 were present

Pres. Nelson
Com. Kirkpatrick
Lloyd
Cummings

Minutes. After being amended as follows: in the paragraph relating to the Curator's fund to be interpolated "and approved by the President" in the paragraph relating to an application for an electric automobile license to be inserted "In Chief of Police" the minutes of the previous meeting were accepted and ordered filed

On motion of Com Cummings duly seconded, an unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to Com. Lloyd in acknowledgement of his many generous gifts to the Park Museum and in recognition of the many other valuable donations that had come to G. G Park through the influence of Mr. Lloyd

Com. Lloyd reported that the gentleman having rifles to sell the Memorial Museum had called upon him and that as Com Lloyd reported was to day, to acquire these rifles as a donation

A letter from Asst Curator Wilmans, thanking the Board for a raise in salary, was read and ordered filed

The report of the Curator was read, accepted and ordered filed

A letter from the Southern Heights Imp. Club asking for the improvement of Jackson Park was referred to Supt. McLaren for report.

Request to Lay Rails

An application from the San Francisco Driving-Club to be permitted to lay car tracks behind their buggies through Golden Gate Park, was denied.

Application for Children's Play Ground

An application from Anita M Freeman to use camel-pias to the Children's Play Ground was referred to Supt. McLaren with power to act

Vote of Thanks

A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. P.E. Lawrence, 1336 Pine St., for her donation of an oil-painting to the Museum.

A letter was received from C.H. Bentley of the California Promotion Committee - pointing out the advantages to be gained by the retention of the Committee Building in Union Square and requesting the Board of Park Commissioners to reconsider their order to have said building removed from off the Square within thirty days. Action on this letter was deferred until next meeting and the order vacated was stayed until same time. The Supt. was instructed to report on the matter and the Secretary was instructed to write the Cal Promotion Committee and get from them a definite and concrete statement of what they had in view.

postponed.

A letter from Relief Home for Aged and Infirm, requesting flagpole was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act

There being no further business the meeting, on motion, adjourned

W.A. Leo

Secretary

rec'd & filed

On this day the bond of Albert E. Gray, Curator of the Museum in Golden Gate Park, was received from Hon. W.H. Metson, and filed away in the Park Lodge safe, in that portion of the latter file marked "Museum".

W.H. Gray
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmont Hotel, Tuesday, July 7th 1908.
Were present

Pres. Nelson
Com. Cummings
Com. Lloyd
Absent Com. Kirkpatrick
Deceased

The minutes of the previous meeting were [illegible]

Supt's Rpt. The report of the Supt. was read, accepted and ordered filed and the suggestions contained therein were ordered adopted.

Supervisors Pollock, Murphy & Jennings of the Finance Committee appeared before the Board for the purpose of seeing what could be done about the Parkside and Automobile Boulevards. The Board stated that nothing was to be entered of such Boulevards, place them in proper condition and do all the necessary work on them providing the Board of Supervisors would appropriate the necessary money for the same. The estimate of Supt. McLaren for oil and labor alone being $680. it was thought that $1,000 would be none too much after some friendly discussion the Committee from the Board of Supervisors decided to take the matter under advisement with the end in view of seeing what they could do toward supplying the requisite sum and to report later to the Park Commissioners their decision.

Golden Gate Park. The matter of the continuation of the land known as G.G. Park was continued to next meeting.

Extract of minutes.

Reports of the Curator of the Memorial Museum and of the Curator of Natural History were read accepted and ordered filed. A special report of the Curator of the Mem Museum was read and referred to Supt McLaren was instructed to act on such matters as demanded immediate attention and to report on the other

On motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded the Curators Fund was increased to $50 per month.

A letter from the California N. asking that its building be allowed to remain on Lincoln Square until such time as the City Plan funds a permanent home, went over until next meeting for consideration.

filed

The Secretary was instructed to write the Board of Supervisors and ask what action has been taken on petition

Com. Lloyd volunteered to write the Postmaster concerning mail deliveries at the Museum and with Gordon Gale

A letter from the Board of Health in response to inquiry as to disposition of human remains

A letter from the U. S. Marine Hospital Service regarding an appropriation by the National Government for the construction of a roadway from the to the Government Reservation was read and ordered filed

Supt McLaren informed the Board that he had been offered, by Prof. Merriam, two unusual Alaskan bears of a rare and unique character. On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, Pres. Nelson was appointed a committee of one to inspect said bears and advise the Board thereon

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

J. McAvoy Secretary

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel Tuesday, July 31st 1906.

There present Comm. Nelson (Pres
" Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Phelan
" Tobin

Absent

Minutes The minutes being amended so as to include the entire amount of estimated expense in re boulevard report $6680. oil and Colma and $4960 material rock and Colma, were approved and accepted

A request from the Board of Health, through the Board of Supervisors, to permit the Central Emergency Hospital to remain at Jefferson Square until new quarters could be found, was granted. A similar request from the California Promotion Committee in re its building in Union Square was also granted Park privileges to continue only at the pleasure of the Board.

A letter from the Board of Supervisors informing the Park Commissioners that the Finance Committee had decided to recommend that $7500.00 be appropriated for oiling, shaping, putting in passable condition and maintaining Point and Junipero Serra Boulevards was read. On motion of Comm. Phelan, duly seconded, it was decided to accept such money and to expend the same to the best advantage. The Secretary was instructed to inform the Board of Supervisors and to tell them that the Park Commissioners wished it understood that they assumed no financial responsibility in excess of the $7500.00 for construction or maintenance expense. The Secretary was further instructed to advertise for bids for 3000 bbls. more or less road oil from 12th to 14th Avenue & 6th Ave.

Re. ordinance | A communication from J.M. Leone, in re automobile ordinance, went over to the next meeting for consideration

Beds | The beds on 4" pipe went over to next meeting for further consideration and for a report from Chief Engr. McLaren as to the relative values of 4" gal pipe @ 44½ per 100 ft. (Baker & Hamilton) and cast pipe @ 33.4½ per ton F.O.B. Cars N.Y. (U.S. Pipe Co.)

Bids | The beds for candy were passed up to Bros. Nelson for award

The following were the successful bidders for the various supplies for the coming fiscal year.

Coal

Anthracite - Brizzolare & Son 16.70
Wellington " " 2240 10.20

Fuel Oil

Standard 120 per Bbl

White Lead

New Era 6.60 per ctw
New Era Linseed Oil .45 per gal.

Advertise for bids on Lubricated oil

Cast Iron 10"in Pipe

United States Pipe Co 32.50 per ton F.O.B.S.F.

1 1/4 Gal Pipe

Dalziel Moller 0910 per ft

1 1/2 Gal Pipe

" " " " 10.90 per 100 ft

2"in Gal Pipe

" " " " 14.90 per 100 ft.

4"in Gal Pipe of Cast pipe

Wheat Hay

Scott & Magner 17.80 per ton

Red Oat

" " 16.80 per ton

~~Wheat & Oat Hay~~

Somers & Co Wheat Oat 15.90 per ton

Alfalfa

" " 14.90 per ton

Rolled Barley

" " 28.40 per ton

Oats

Scott & Magner 1.85 per ctw

Bran

" " 31. per ton.

Lumber

Pope & Talbot 12 by 12 - 32 Rough Fir 16 Fir

Selected Pine

Olson Mahony 22.50

Redwood

Pope & Talbot) 22.00

Clear Redwood

Olson Mahony)
Pope & Talbot) 38 per in

T.G. T.and G. Fair 3 by 12 straigh grain

Pope & Talbot 25 per m

" " " Surfaced lumber

Java Coffee

Panassus Heights Co 21 1/2

Tea)(Black)

Bug Harris $.23

Other Teas

Mc Caw Bros $.25

Cube Sugar

Mc Caw Bros .0610 per lb.

Powdreed Sugar

Snook & Co $.7 1/2 per lb.

Granulated

Snook & Co .0595 per lb.

Flour

Mc Caw Bros 5.40 per lb.

Crackers

Dunn & Co Refured to Su'pt.

There being no further business the meeting, on motion, adjourned

M.A. Lee

Secretary

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, on Sept 18th 1905
Were present

Pres Nelson
Com Cummings
" Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
Absent- Com. Phelan

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read and approved, the principal business of the meeting, namely, the reconsideration of the coal bid came up On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the former award of the contract to Brizzolara & Son was set aside and Morton & Co., were given the contract they being the lowest bidders, having complied with all provisions of the Charter regarding bids and the fact their bid was not considered at the former meeting being no fault of theirs

Grand Stand

Wm James Reid appeared in re Panama Grand Stand. After some general discussion, on motion of Pres Nelson, duly seconded, it was ordered that the sum of $5000.00 be set aside to be placed at the disposal of Com. Kirkpatrick, who was appointed a committee of one, with power to act and was authorized to expend the above mentioned sum for the purpose specified and to use his own judgement in regard to all matters connected with the construction of a grand stand in [illegible] On motion of Com Lloyd, duly seconded, Mr. Reid was given a vote of thanks for his generosity in tendering the Commission his valuable services for nothing.

Com. Nelson reporting on the bids for candy, which had been turned over to him, said he had rejected all bids and the Park would buy in the open market

Supt McLaren reported that the [illegible] pipe was better for the purposes of the Park than the [illegible] pipe. The Board thereupon awarded the contract to Baker & Hamilton

The bid of James Brook & Co. were received until the next meeting at the request of Com. McLaren

The matter of the changing of the name of the Great Highway to Balboa Boulevard & the Board of Supervisors came up before the Commissioners. Each Com. [illegible] his objection to any such change [illegible] the right of the Board of Supervisors to take such action in regard to [illegible] of the Park Commissioners

The letter of J.M. Leavitt concerning [illegible] was read. The Board decided to make no change in [illegible]

On motion of Com. Boyd, duly seconded, Comrs Kirkpatrick and Cummings were authorized to sign all warrants and other official papers during the absence of Com Mc[illegible]

Com. Cummings reported it would cost some [illegible] for repairs [illegible] to the Sunol Dewey monument and to replace [illegible] broken pieces. Mr. Cummings was told he had full power to act and whatever he did would be agreeable to the balance of the Board

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Curator to return the [illegible]

There being no further business the meeting on motion, adjourned

W.A.W.

Special meeting

At a special meeting held in the [illegible] Aug 6th 1918
[illegible] Commissioner Lloyd. Com Cummings (in chair)
present. " Lloyd
" Phelan
" Nelson
" Markham
" Kirkpatrick

[illegible]

The meeting was called for the purpose
of [illegible] the Calcium for use on Coal-
inga Kumpert Santa Barbara [illegible]
Rd. 9th

The lubricating oil 10 Bbls. more or
less, was awarded The [illegible] Co
@ 18¢ per gal.

The [illegible] Bbls. more or less was
awarded to the [illegible] Oil Co. @ 1.19 per bbl.
[illegible]

The reading of the minutes of the previous
meeting were dispensed with, same
being [illegible] to further business the
[illegible]

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